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THE LOWELL SUN

TO THE LADIES.
A WHOLE PAGE TO SUIT THEIR TASTES—THE WORLD OF SPORT AND OF HUMOR WITH ARTICLE ON HUNTING—IN TOMORROW'S 12-PAGE SUN.

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THE WEATHER.

Fair, generally clear and pleasant weather continues to be indicated for New England, and it now promises to continue Saturday and Sunday, if not longer; it will be warmer during the next two or three days, with light winds, generally southwesterly.

ALMANAC, SATURDAY, NOV. 20.
Sun rises—6:12; sets, 4:18.
Moon rises—2:03 a. m.
High water—7:15 a. m.; 7:45 p. m.

THE FINAL SERVICE

Over Remains of Patrick Corcoran This Morning.

LARGE GATHERING AT IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CHURCH

Many Beautiful Floral Offerings.

The funeral of the late Patrick Corcoran took place this morning from the Immaculate Conception church. The cortege left the house on Fort Hill avenue at 8.30 and started for the church. The service was attended by many relatives and friends of the deceased. There were also present two Sisters of Charity from St. John's hospital, a delegation from the Master Builders, and representatives of the Foresters of America. Solemn high mass was celebrated by Rev. Fr. Reynolds, O.M.I., assisted by Rev. Fr. Gigault, O.M.I., deacon, and Rev. Fr. Stanley, O.M.I., of Dublin, sub-deacon. Rev. Fr. Gagnon, O.M.I., was master of ceremonies and Rev. Fr. Joyce, O.M.I, pastor of the church, occupied a seat in the sanctuary. The musical portion of the service was rendered by a choir of 40 voices and was as grand as anything ever heard on a similar occasion.

The choir was directed by Prof. P. P. Haggerty and Mrs. Haggerty presided at the organ. Schmidt's requiem mass was sung and at the offertory Miss Louise McLaughlin, in her pleasing, strong soprano voice, rendered the "Pie Jesu." The solos in the Libera which were rendered at the conclusion of the service were sustained by Prof. Haggerty. With fine effect and in the clearest tones, T. F. Molloy sang the beautiful hymn, "No Cross, No Crown." A quartette selection, "O Paradise" was sung by Misses Louise McLaughlin, Nano Gallagher; Messrs. T. F. Molloy, and D. P. Martin. The final selection was "Rest, Spirit, Rest," by Miss Mabel Ware, assisted by the chorus. The pall bearers were Messrs. John O'Toole, Matthew Murphy, William Lawler, and Charles O'Donnell. The ushers were James McKeon and Thomas Lawler. The remains were interred in the Catholic cemetery and Undertaker Davey had charge of the burial. The funeral arangements were in charge of James McKeon. There were many beautiful floral offerings, including a pillow, inscribed "Father;" a standing crescent with the inscription "Brother;" a standing wreath, from Mr. and Mrs. James Walsh; a pillow from the Master Builders' Exchange; a cross and crown inscribed "Rest" from J. E. Shanley; standing cross with the inscription "Rest" from O'Donnell & Gilbride; palms and chrysanthemums, Miss Burke; and several sprays of chrysanthemums.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. Thomas Walpole of Syracuse, N. Y., is visiting her brother, Mr. M. J. Hennessey of Pleasant street.

Thomas Welch of this city was sent to jail to two months for drunkenness in the Lawrence police court Wednesday.

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ANNUAL FESTIVAL
For the Benefit of the
Old Ladies' Home
Huntington Hall, Dec. 1,
POP CONCERT
MUSIC BY
Royal Hungarian Gypsy Band
Fancy Dancing by Miss Devol.
Seats reserved at tables, at which light refreshments and temperance drinks will be served, 25 cents extra. On sale at C. W. Durant's, corner Central and Middle streets.
December 2
"Mrs. Jarley's Wax Works,"
Under the direction of Miss Mary Selden McCabb. General Dancing. Music by American Orchestra.
Tickets, Either Evening, 50c.
CHILDREN 25 CENTS.

THOMAS J. SAYERS, chairman of reception committee.

JOLLY AND FREE

The Street Railroad Men Danced With Glee.

NO TRANSFERS TO PUNCH—NO STREETS TO CALL.

They Forgot All Their Cares at Their Annual Ball.

For once in a long time, the street railway employes from starter to spare man, threw their cares to the winds and enjoyed life to their heart's content. The motorman forgot his switches, the conductor his transfers, the construction man his sledge and all tackled the dance with the proper spirit, making the third annual concert and ball of the Lowell & Suburban Street Railroad Employes' Relief association a most successful and enjoyable affair.

This association was formed about two years ago and its object is to give financial relief to members who may be incapacitated from work by illness

CHARLES D. WEST, President L. S. Relief Association.

or accident. Since its beginning it has paid out over $2000, the amount per week being $6. Its officers are: President, Charles D. West; vice president, J. K. Winchester; treasurer, Col. Percy Parker; physician, Dr. Joe V. Meigs.

But the ball. It was a most delightful affair. Some would look for a larger crowd, but there were enough, and at no time was the floor crowded, as is often the case at such events.

In honor of the affair the hall was tastefully decorated by Charles F. Young, the well known decorator. The prevailing colors were pink, nile green, and white. The proscenium and boxes were very tastefully bedecked with bunting, gracefully arrayed, while the windows and bare spots were hidden by the attractive bunting and the stage was converted into a floral bower abounding in tropical plants and graceful ferns, the floral work being most artistic and furnished gratuitously by James McManiman, the well known florist of the Square. From behind the leafy ledge floated the exquisite strains of the dance music, rendered by Hibbard's orchestra, which assisted in the concert at the opening of the festivities, the program being as follows:

March, "Second Regiment Conn. N. G." ..... Reaves
Overture, "The Two Hussars," Doppler
Solo, selected .....
Miss Louise McLaughlin.
Zylophone solo, "On Time Polka," ..... Stobbe
Mr. Henri Dufresne.
Reading, "Minuet" .....
Marguerite M. Elvin.
Solo, "Asthore" ..... Protersle
Mr. James E. Donnlley.
Finale, "The Trolley Party,".. Hibbard
Emil C. Lavigueur, director; Joseph H. Hibbard, prompter.

At the conclusion of the concert, Joe Hibbard, who officiated as starter, sounded two bells on a street car gong which was in use during the evening, and the march was begun. It was led by Floor Director William A. Hayes, escorting Miss Rose Crane, followed by Charles D. West and Miss Nellie Fairgraves of Lawrence, Mr. M. J. Manning and Miss Josie O'Brien, F. J. Conroy and Miss Moore, John S. Rourke and wife, Andrew C. Jones and Miss Baker, John McDonald and lady and about 150 couples. The march was finely executed and made a pretty sight, many of the ladies wearing elaborate toilettes.

After the march, the order consisting of 24 well selected numbers was entered upon and was enjoyed by a large

WM. A. HAYES, floor director.

number. At midnight an intermission of half an hour was taken during which time a very palatable supper was served in the Merrimack House. After supper the remainder of the order was gone through and shortly after two o'clock the last trip around the floor was made and trolleys were put on the wires that lead toward home.

There were many prominent guests of the association present and foremost among them was Florence O'Donoghue, formerly starter of the Lowell & Suburban, but now superintendent of the Nashua line. There were also present Superintendent Bagley, Directors Brennan, Fels and Tucke, and railroad men from Nashua, Lawrence, and Reading; Miss M. J. O'Connor and Miss Katie M. Callahan of Holyoke, Miss Wilherell and Miss Fairgraves of Lawrence, and a party of 15 from North Billerica. The office employes were present in all their loveliness, viewing the scene from one of the boxes.

The success of the affair depended greatly upon the efforts of the following officers: General manager, Charles D. West; assistant manager, Thomas F. Lonergan; floor director, William A. Hayes; assistant floor director, Michael J. Manning; chief aid, Frank J. Conroy; aids, John S. Rourke, Michael F. O'Hare, John H. Joyce, Joseph Moore, John McCabe, Andrew C. Jones, John McDonald; reception committee, T. J. Sayers, chairman; Maurice M. Nash, J. W. Wood, James O. Ellis, William H. Mahoney, M. E. O'Donnell, J. K. Winchester, Thomas Lee, M. F. Clark, Albert E. Myers, Wm. T. Downing, Andrew J. McAloon, and Daniel Flanigan.

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"Makes me warm to look at those Gloves," said a hustling business man yesterday. When the frost begins to bite who would grudge
ONE DOLLAR
And an assortment here that is bewildering in extent and variety. Never saw such values—and lots of 'em.
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We mention particularly our line of celebrated Cabri a. Piqueo. Dogskin Gloves. Meyer's make—every pair warranted. Colors—the newest shades.
$1.00.
Mechanics and Workmen, it will pay you to travel from the other end of the town to see our 50c. Gloves and Mittens.
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POLITICAL ARENA

Alleged Republican Frauds in Registration.

WILSON MEN WANT LAWTON TO WITHDRAW.

The Democrats of Ward One Meet.

Though there have been but a few sessions of the board of registrars, still the fine cunning of the republican managers is seen in the registration.

Ever since registration began, the republican papers have prated about democratic fraud, but the democratic side has made no attempt to charge the republicans with fraud. Now there are unmistakable evidences of irregularities in the republican registration. A resident of Ward Nine who admitted he is a republican, presented himself at the registrars' office and asked to have his name put on the voting list. He attempted to go through the form of registering when it was detected that he is a already a voter and his name is on the list. Another man whose name was not on the list of assessed voters came to the registrars' office and asked to be registered. He too, is a republican and the man's name is not on the list of assessed polls. He resides in Ward Two. He should have a tax bill marked "O. K." which means that he came at his own request and was assessed. How the man managed to get this tax bill is a question to be answered by the assessors of Ward Nine.

There are reasons to believe that the republicans are rushing in young men under 21 years of age and two such cases are now being investigated by the city committee. So far as the investigation has proceeded the premises are correct, and prosecution will follow if the facts bear out the assumption of fraud, while the republicans have had a young man named Hall taking stenographic notes of the questions and answers as given by democrats who ask to be registered, the democratic managers have not been idle. They also have a record of all answers given by republican applicants for registration, together with the names of witnesses. Such a move on the part of the republicans was made to scare democrats and divert suspicion from their own crooked work.

Let every man who believes in the democratic party go to city hall today or tomorrow and get registered. Then you can join the celebration of a great victory next December.

Another thing the republicans are doing is rushing in Nova Scotians without getting them naturalized by having them give their place of birth as some city or town in Maine. Three of these men have gone through the mill and their records are being looked up and trouble for them will result.

The whole affair shows conclusively how scared the republican managers are and how willing and ready they are to destroy the sacredness of the ballot, and deprive men of all fair, honest expressions of opinion.

Such action is in line with the infamous outrage committed by them on the democrats of Lowell when the gerrymander bill was pushed through a duped legislature by some of Lowell's leading republicans, including the three men who are now running for the republican mayoralty nomination.

The democracy of Lowell has a duty to perform that should impel them to exert one united effort for the party's success. If you know any democrat whose name is not on the list, use every means in your power to get him to City Hall, where he can be registered in a few moments.

Registration will close next Thursday and this duty must be attended to at once.

The democrats of Ward One held a big meeting last night in Jackson hall. Patrick Owen presided and John Cargg was secretary. It was voted to spend the time in working up registration and a district was apportioned to each rallying committee.

Friends of John Wilson had a meeting in Hunels' hall last night. F. E. Saunders presided. The sentiment prevailed that Mr. Lawton should withdraw.

Tonight the democrats of Ward Four will meet in the Lyon street ward room and those of Ward Three at the committee headquarters.

Editor of The Sun—Will you please allow me a show in your straight democratic paper to say a few words for a straight democratic young man, M. F. O'Brien, who seeks the democratic nomination for the Council from Ward Two. Voters of this ward will make no mistake if they select at their caucus this young man to represent their interests in the Council. Mr. O'Brien is a bright young man and a good talker. Some years ago he was prominent in labor circles and I happened to hear him make a vigorous appeal for unity in all labor matters when he was a delegate to the convention. He is a plain forcible talker and he is a good parliamentarian and if elected will not be afraid to talk to his republican brethren.

Mr. M. F. O'Brien is prominent in temperance and local organizations and the voters of Ward Two will not regret it if they vote for Mr. O'Brien and as I hear he is going to win the nomination. Do not forget my friend, Mr. O'Brien, at the caucus, Friday, November 26. He is a product of your public schools and had a course at one of the business colleges. I, for one, will cast my ballot for this gentleman and if I had ten I would do the same and there will be many more of our young men who are only too glad to do so.

—French-American.

Editor of The Sun—Having for the last week seen in your paper the merits of the different candidates for office, presented to the public by their friends with your permission I would like space to say a few words in behalf of and for Mr. John Donlon, candidate for the Common Council from Ward Two. Now, as the democratic party is represented in the Common Council by a small but respectable minority, it behooves the voters of Ward Two and I might say all the other wards, to send the best men available, men fully able in all that goes to make a champion of the people's rights, to cope with the republican majority. One well schooled in parliamentary law; one ready in debate; one wideawake to the city's needs; one to oppose with firmness all schemes and jobbery is what the party wants. Knowing that Mr. Donlon fills the above requirements, I feel that he is worthy of the support of all democrats in Ward Two. To elect him is to know his worth and ability.

—Old Democrat.

Wm. J. McCluskey, Esq., is a candidate for the Common Council in Ward Five. Mr. McCluskey is one of our bright young men. He is a native of Lowell and a graduate of our public schools. He is a young man of intelligence and good, sound common sense and will make an honest and upright member of the city government, if nominated and elected.

COMPETITOR CREW'S RELEASE.

Washington, Nov. 19.—Although having released the Competitor crew, the Spanish government does not concede that the Cushing protocol applies to such cases, as urged by the American authorities. To admit that would, in the opinion of the Spanish, greatly stimulate the fitting out of filibustering parties in the United States. A new trial had been ordered by the Madrid supreme court on the ground of irregularities in the original trial, not because of any concession of the soundness of the objections interposed by the United States officers. It was to have begun last Monday, and it is thought it would have resulted in the imposition of the death sentence again. This would have provoked an explosion in this country, according to the anticipations of the department officials, that would have been hardly less violent than the feeling in the famous Virginius episode, so it is to them a matter of satisfaction that the Spanish queen has cut the diplomatic tangle by the pardon of them before the second trial.

"PUT UP YOUR GUNS."

Emporia, Kan., Nov. 18.—A deputy sheriff, a Santa Fe railway deputy and a policeman, while attempting to arrest a cattle thief in the postoffice, were disarmed by a single man, who escaped. The officers found the thief, named Kooken, in the postoffice and placed him under arrest.

Kooken was reading and said: "All right; I'll go with you in a moment," and commenced placing the letter in his pocket. Like a flash he pulled two revolvers from his pockets and shoved them into the faces of the officers, coolly saying "Put up your guns." In a moment he had disarmed the three. He put all the pistols in his overcoat pocket and rushed for the doorend disappeared. A posse is hunting for him.

"RUN BY ANARCHISTS."

Manchester, N. H., Nov. 19.—At a meeting of the Prohibition party yesterday W. F. Moulton of this city demanded: "Why is this town run by anarchists? That is the right word, gentlemen, because I have looked it up. Why are the police commissioners the chief anarchists, and why is the chief of police the next? When I ask myself this question I hang my head in shame. It is rum, gentlemen, rum is at the back of it. We have been legislated into the ground. We want to take hold and make ourselves felt."

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CHANDLER'S VIEW

As to What Will Occupy the Attention

OF CONGRESS AFTER OPENING NEXT MONTH.

Immigration Bill First on Docket.

Washington, Nov. 19.—Senator Chandler of New Hampshire, in an interview regarding legislation as the coming session of congress, said: "Senator Lodge proposes pushing the measure looking to the restriction of immigration and of demanding its passage without delay. Bills proposing to bar undesirable foreign elements from entry into this country are now pending in both the house and the senate, and there is no doubt that the two houses will be able to agree on a bill. The house measure lays restrictions on what are called 'birds of passage,' but the senate bill does not. The class referred to is that which lives along the northern and southern border lines of the country and embraces Mexicans and Canadians who work daily in the United States, but live in their native country. This part of the bill, in my judgment, eventually will be omitted, and the senate bill, which applies to immigrants from European and orientlal countries, passed.

"Some action, I believe, will be taken looking to the relief of the Cuban insurgents. Of course the Republican policy will largely depend upon the president's message, but my opinion is he will leave the entire matter to the judgment of congress.

"The prospects for the ratification of the Hawaiian treaty are excellent. The Republicans will stand by it to a unit, and many Democrats will do likewise. I think the necessary two-thirds vote will be secured. As to financial legislation, especially as to a revision of the banking laws, I cannot see how any such legislation can be passed."

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There's nothing missing in gloves that men or boys wear, from the heavy oil tanned at 25 cents, to the finest silk lined for street or driving.

The best from Dent and Fownes Bros. and all the kinds between.

A new glove for motormen is wool lined buckskin with wool wrister and gauntlet attached.

PUTNAM & SON.
No 166 CENTRAL STREET

GODDARD LOST TO SHARKEY.

San Francisco, Nov. 19.—Tom Sharkey has won another questionable battle, his victim this time being old Joe Goddard. The fight, which was scheduled for 20 rounds, terminated in the sixth, when Sharkey, after landing a stiff right on Goddard's jaw, rushed at his man and knocked him to the floor literally by force of impact, falling heavily upon him. Goddard's head struck the floor with an awful smash. He arose at the end of three seconds and staggered to the ropes, Referee McArthur meanwhile holding the excited sailor back.

Amid great confusion McArthur awarded the fight to Sharkey. The decision was just, but Sharkey's victory is far from creditable, it being the popular impression that Goddard was hurt more by his collision with the floor than from Sharkey's blows, which were at all times wild and miserably timed.

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Another is a lot of

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THE WOOLY WEST

And Some Former Lowell Residents.

AN INTERESTING ACCOUNT OF CHAS. JOYCE'S TRAVELS.

During Which He Met Many Old Friends.

It's an old and true saying that the world is small after all, and that wherever one goes, he will always meet Lowell people during his peregrinations, even in the most remote corners of the country. There are Lowell people every where from the Klondike down to Cuba and whenever a traveler from the Spindle City comes across any of them he may be assured of a royal time for absence makes the heart grow fonder and a word or two concerning the old place coming from the lips of one who has just left it is worth more to the exile than a bushel of letters.

Now there are many travellers who start out from Lowell to see the country, but none of them ever came across more people from this city in one trip than did Mr. Charles J. Joyce, the well known liquor dealer of Central street, who has just returned from a 24 days' trip west and south.

It might be explained, however, that Charlie, as he is popularly called, has travelled extensively, though but a young man, and "knows the ropes," that is to say, a greengoods or gold brick man would probably ask him to have a drink rather than put him on to a scheme whereby he would make his fortune in one day. Charlie is a traveller in fact and his travels are of benefit to him, for being an observant young man, nothing escapes him and many and interesting are the tales that Charlie tells of his travels. Even John Flynn must listen when he starts.

But of Mr. Joyce's most recent trip, having gone as far West as he could He returned Wednesday afternoon, without getting wet, and I had the pleasure of hearing him tell of the familiar faces he had seen in his travels.

He left here with Mr. James Callahan, son of Ex-Supt. Callahon, the latter bound for Denver, to take advantage of the excellent climate of that locality during the winter months. Their first stop was Chicago and there they met for a starter John B. Ryan, formerly of Lawrence, a brother of the present superintendent of streets, Tom Ryan. Mr. Ryan, though he has been in Chicago for a long time, is quite well known in Lowell and he asked to be remembered to his old friends. He is conducting an extensive business over the Alhambra theatre, wherever that may be.

Leaving Chicago, the two travellers went to Denver without delay and there Mr. Callahan settled himself for the winter, for he intends engaging in business but' there. Mr. Joyce told me at length of the advantages of Denver, but everyone speaks well of that faraway city, and it is therefore quite well known. Denver isn't the place it used to be, says Mr. Joyce, for the hard times have brought about the most deplorable conditions.

That led me to ask Mr. Joyce about the silver sentiment and he immediately informed me that silver is the hobby of all sizes and ages. Every one understands the silver question and all who can vote or nearly all are with Bryan to the finish. In the last local election in Denver, he says, there were only 22 tickets in the field and yet notwithstanding this fact, one of the first questions fired at him when he went to his hotel was "Well, how's New York going?"

But while in Denver, Charlie met one man to whom it would be an injustice to overlook in this story. He is Jerry Gulon, who every one who patronized Charlie's cosy place around the corner must remember. Jerry worked in Lowell about eight months ago, and for the short time he was here made a decided hit. Jerry, while a good fellow, was as "nice" a chap as ever peeped his face above the ridge. He could juggle glasses with the grace of a prestidigitator and was the envy of all the wine clerks in town, not even excepting Jack McLaughlin of Burlington fame. But Lowell was too slow for Jerry and after working here a few months he brushed the dust from his patent leathers and bought a ticket for the place from whence he came.

Charlie had been in Denver but a day when upon entering a small cafe he nearly had a fit when he beheld behind the bar in all the glory of his six feet four or five, the same old Jerry, juggling glasses as of yore, only with a Chinese on one side of him, washing glasses and a darkey on the other, looking after the bottles.

After they had exchanged greetings, Jerry said: "Charlie, when you go back to Lowell, tell Tom Boyle there's but one thing he needs to make him a King of the Square, and that's a Chinaman to wash the glasses."

Ye who have looked upon the Werner when it fizzles, imagine a Chinese at work in the Quincy. The very thought fills one with pity for the poor Celestial.

Leaving Denver, Mr. Joyce proceeded through the mining country, and into Salt Lake City, where he arrived on election day. He stayed there just long enough to change his mind and then took himself across the prairies to San Francisco, where he was the guest of Jim Garity, an old Lowell boy, now a well to do merchant in that city. Jim is a brother of Henry Garrity, the popular landlord at the Farragut House, and, with the hospitality characterisitic of the family, made Charlie's stay a most pleasant one. Mr. Garrity and a friend of his, Mr. Galvin, visited Lowell two years ago and met everyone. They sent their regards to those they met through Mr. Joyce, particularly to "Dr." Jim Riley of Centralville.

The latter grows eloquent upon San Francisco. He considers it the star city of the country. The climate is most inviting, and it seems that there is but little poverty there. The people are all well dressed and appear to be thriving and there are few "loafers" to be noticed. In 'Frisco also, Mr. Joyce met a Mr. Robinson, formerly of Lowell, a brother-in-law of Officer Holland, who is running a large installment house there.

From 'Frisco, Mr. Joyce went to Los Angeles and met popular Peter Kelly, formerly with J. L. Chalifoux, who is the owner of a very successful shoe store, employing 10 clerks. But Mr. Kelly is not the only one from Lowell who owns a portion of Los Angeles, for Charlie Barnard, a cousin of "Sam" owns a finely established wet goods dispensary and is making money. In Los Angeles a cousin of Secretary Martin J. Courtney, who was Martin's guest in this city for a time in '93. Mr. Shea is the proprietor of two large places and invites all his Lowell friends to call on him if they ever get out that way. The country around Los Angeles is beautiful. At this time of the year geranium beds and calla lilies enhance the beauty of the city lawns, while the gardens abound with luscious oranges and rare fig trees.

After his stay in Los Angeles, Mr. Joyce crossed Arizona and the Great American Desert, with nothing to see but waste of space and nothing to drink but water, through New Mexico, and all its dust, into El Paso, Texas, where, at the hotel, while conversing with the clerk, he was taken for Solly Smith, the man who licked Dixon.

Leaving El Paso, he jumped to Chicago, and from there direct to Lowell.

MUSIC HALL.

"A Jay in New York" is the title of Wm. Jerome's conglomeration of sparking wit, fun, and comedy, now playing at Music Hall. The company was greeted by a great house last night, but will undoubtedly draw a much larger attendance tonight.

The leading and distinctive feature of the show is that it is decidedly free from anything objectionable. The wit is of the highest, cleanest, and brightest character without any alloy of vulgarity and without a dull moment from start to finish. Edward Blondell assumes the role of the "Jay" in New York with an originality and agrarian air that is highly laughable. The most enjoyable part of the program, however, is that which embraces the specialties in which Miss Maud Nugent appears in her original songs and parodies. She is the gifted authoress of "Rosie O'Grady" and last evening sang another song of her own composing, "Mamie Riley," which is equal in merit, although it has not yet caught the popular craze. She was ably assisted in the chorus by Master Robert North, who sat in the front row on the gallery. She responded to several encores and was applauded in the most enthusiastic style. Nick Conway as "Laughing Casey" in his dances, his humorous tories and his comic songs produced roars of laughter. He is a talented comedian of rare style and combined with the other artists of the company, made a decided hit. W. C. Davies proved to be a worthy imitator of John W. Kelley, the late lamented comedian and gifted story teller of New York. Davies acquitted himself of a series of funny stories, take-offs, and imitations, which convulsed the audience. But it remained for William Jerome himself to cap the climax as the parodist. He is the most talented parodist in the country, and last night he gave some new hits on the leading songs of the day and some popular fads which took immensely with the audience. Lenora Wilson and Carrie Massloney gave a series of songs and dances that were well received while a love making sketch by Edward and Libby Blondell, as "society kids" was a piece of excellent acting that was much applauded.

WM. JEROME.

The show will be repeated tonight, tomorrow afternoon and evening, and should be attended by everyone who wishes for an evening of real enjoyment and good, healthy laughter. It decidedly the best show of its kind that has come to Lowell this season.

This evening at 7.30 o'clock Mr. Hilton will ride a bicycle from the second story window of the Merrimack House to the street upon a common ladder. This is one of the most daring ventures ever attempted. Mr. Hilton is a noted trick bicycle rider and besides doing this great feat, he appears upon the stage at Music Hall every evening with Billy Jerome's "A Jay in New York" company.

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SHIPS ORDERED READY.

London, Nov. 19.—A dispatch to The Telegraph from St. Petersburg says: Vice Admiral Tyrtoff, Russian minister of marine, has ordered 11 vessels of the Black sea squadron to be held ready and fully equipped. These ships will include four first-class battleships, three gunboats, three training ships and one transport vessel. This order indicates that the Russian government regards affairs in the East as affording little reason for tranquility.

GIRL DIED OF A WOUND.

Chester, Vt., Nov. 19.—Ada Pinney, a 16-year-old girl of Andover, was accidentally shot Wednesday by her brother-in-law, Frank Lombard, and died yesterday. Lombard was examining his gun, which he held over his knee, when it was discharged, the contents entering the girl's hip and penetrating the bladder. The house is situated five miles from the village, and it was several hours before medical aid could reach her.

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TO IMITATE THE ENGLISH.

New York, Nov. 19.—A special to The Commercial Advertiser from Washington says that J. Addison Porter, secretary to the president, in particular, Theodore Roosevelt, assistant secretary of the navy, and many prominent college men in general are deeply interested in establishing a regatta week in New London, Conn., which shall be coequal in importance and interest with the famous "Henley week" in England. Mr. Porter points out that the course at New London would certainly be agreeable to both Harvard and Yale, and would probably be satisfactory to Cornell, in that postponement on account of rough water is not to be feared. It is proposed that during the week races should be rowed, not only by crews of the big 'varsities, but also by those of many minor colleges in the middle states and in the west in which rowing plays a prominent part in the athletic curriculum.

HANNA AND OHIO POLITICS.

New York, Nov. 19.—Senator Hanna of Ohio still refuses to talk on political subjects. When asked Thursday as to the situation in Ohio he replied: "Why, the fight is over."

When urged to speak on the attitude of Governor Bushnell and Senator Foraker in the recent contest he answered: "Oh, I can't say anything about that. It would be very bad taste."

The senator expects to return to Ohio next Sunday.

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Most readers of this "Ad." have seen a Thanksgiving display and experienced the rush at our establishment, and we need only say it is advisable to do your buying or ordering as early as possible, if possible, on TUESDAY. We close—as is our custom on holidays—1-2 day Thanksgiving, but open until midnight the day before and until ten Tuesday evening. We shall have half a dozen extra delivery teams and will afford everybody the most liberal treatment in the way of delivery.

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OVERCOATS.

Those nice dressy Black Kersey Men's Overcoats at $5 went fast last Saturday. We have sold more than 75 of them. There are only a few left. These Coats are equal to any Garment sold elsewhere at $7.50 and $8. Our price as long as the lots last will be

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Last week was the biggest for many years in this department. There must have been some good reasons for it. Come and see the bargains without a parallel we are offering.

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A DOUBLE BALLOT

Is What Lang Thought He Saw.

HE MERCENARY REFORMERS AT IT AGAIN.

Councilman Fagan Ably Defends Himself.

The committee appointed to investigate the alleged illegal balloting in the City Council, October 20, met last night and heard evidence presented by several witnesses summoned. Councilmen Sullivan and Pendergast were not present, so their story could not be heard. So far as can be determined the evidence was all favorable to Councilman Fagan and tended to free him from any suspicion of wrong doing. Even Mr. Lang who made the charge, was unable to give any positive sentiments and only by insinuation, charged Mr. Fagan with the offense.

The members of the committee are Councilmen Libby, Dana, and Miskella. The witnesses examined were President Penn, Councilman Lang, James Smith, Councilman Fagan, and City Messenger Going.

President Penn offered this testimony: "During the balloting I heard Councilman Smith ask that the police be called. I noticed Lang in front of Fagan and the latter was smiling. I ordered the messenger to declare the ballot void after the statement that two ballots were cast. I have no direct knowledge of any councilman casting two ballots, though I remember the accusation. I have no further knowledge of the matter."

Councilman Miskella took Mr. Lang in hand and got the following information:

"I was two feet from the ballot box when Mr. Fagan voted. There were a number of ballots in the box. I did not notice if there were any paper ballots in the box or not. I would not swear there weren't. The ballots separated before they reached the bottom of the box. His hand was about one foot above the box.

"When I made the discovery I asked him if he had not dropped in two ballots."

"Why did you ask Mr. Fagan if he had placed two ballots in the box if you were so certain of the occurrence?"

"Because I was appointed on the balloting committee and thought it necessary. I did not place my hand in the ballot box. I swear that the paper ballot that Mr. Fagan deposited had writing on it."

The other principal witness was Councilman James Smith whose story ran something like this:

"I was on the committee to watch the ballot. I saw Mr. Fagan deposit, as I thought, a number of ballots. They separated when he dropped them from his hand. I thought there were two ballots because they separated. I saw the piece of paper on the bottom of the paste board. The card was uppermost. They separated before they struck the bototm of the box. I called the president's attention to the fact that a man had deposited a number of ballots. I did not mention the man's name. I did not observe that he made any movement to remove a ballot that he had deposited. There was some controversy over the matter, but I was speaking to the president at the time and did not notice particularly. I am sure that I saw Mr. Fagan drop two ballots."

When Councilman Miskella questioned the witness, he said: "I was as close to the ballot box as I could get. I saw Fagan deposit two ballots, one a piece of writing paper and the other cardboard. I could not see the writing on the writing paper and so could not swear that it was a ballot. It had not separated far enough for me to see the writing on it. I do not know whether or not Mr. Fagan tried to disturb the ballots in the box. I do not recollect what was said, except that someone shouted: "I've got him." A few ballots had been cast before Councilman Fagan came along. I would not swear that there were no paper ballots cast before this time."

Councilman Penn then examined the witness who said: "As far as writing is concerned I could not swear that the paper placed in the box by Fagan was a ballot. I should be morally certain that it was a ballot. If there was no writing upon it I should call it a blank vote or ballot. I am positive that Councilman Fagan cast two votes. When there is no writing on a ballot we call it a blank and it is just the same as if no vote had been cast."

The evidence of City Messenger Going was important and quite favorable to Mr. Fagan. He said:

"I was instructed to receive the ballots with Smith and Lang. If the votes had come in by call of the president, illegal balloting would have been easier to detect. I saw Fagan vote and shortly after heard Mr. Lang's accusation. After that the vote was declared void. I counted the ballots. Eight had been cast before Fagan's came. Some were cardboard and some were paper. I could not see that Mr. Fagan cast more than one. I would not swear that he cast one or that he cast more. I thought that he cast but one ballot. From the commotion around the box I should say that too many ballots had been cast. I have no reason to believe that Fagan cast the first ballot. If I remember correctly Fagan placed his hand in the ballot box and took out a paper, saying: "Here is the ballot that I cast," upon Lang's accusation. I do not know whether it was a card or a paper ballot. I could not swear that he cast two ballots."

"I was in a position, considering the commotion around the ballot box, to see everything that was going on. I should think that if Fagan held his hand above the ballot box I should have noticed if he cast more than one ballot. Mr. Lang did not place his hand in the box. Mr. Lang shouted: "Here's the man! He cast two ballots." The vote was then declared void and the men took their seats.

"The ballots were placed on the president's desk, I think. I do not know where they are now. Ordinarily I could detect illegal balloting. It is the custom to hold the ballots in such a manner that they can be seen. I noticed nothing irregular in the method of Fagan's voting.

"I believe that it was possible for a man to be deceived in the number of ballots cast by one man by the number being thrown in together before Mr. Lang's impeachment."

Councilman Fagan made a strong denial of the charge. When questioned he replied:

"I left my seat with Sullivan in front of me. I deposited one ballot and as I was leaving I heard Lang say, "You deposited two ballots." I did not know who he was talking to and continued on my way. He shouted at me again and grasped me by the shoulder. I simply laughed at him. Lang took out one paper ballot and said "That is one of the ballots you voted. Mr. Sullivan said that he had placed that ballot in the box. I then went to my seat. There were other paper ballots in the box. I do not know whether there were any writing on the ballot taken out by Councilman Lang.

"I did not make a motion to strike Lang."

Mr. Smith was recalled and said that he did not detect any irregularity in the first ballot until the number was counted, 28.

Councilman Lang, recalled, denied emphatically that he had placed his hand in the ballot box. "I would not swear whether or not Councilman Sullivan said that he cast a ballot upon my accusation."

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Rochester Savings Bank Will go Into Liquidation.

NEW ENGLAND LIVE STOCK INSURANCE COMPANY.

Will be Placed in the Hands of Receiver.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Rochester, N. H., Nov. 18.—The directors of the Rochester Savings bank have voted to place the institution in liquidation. The officials state that the bank's business has been gradually falling off until the deposits amount to less than $200,000. The depositors will be paid in full with interest.

MORE FINANCIAL TROUBLE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Boston, Nov. 18.—Insurance Commissioner Cutting has requested the Attorney General to take steps to have a receiver appointed for the New England Live Stock Insurance company of Boston on the ground that it is unable to met its obligations. The statement shows that the company has assets of $9.60 and liabilities of $17,000

THE DREYFUS CASE.

IS STILL DISCUSSED IN PARIS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Paris, Nov. 18.—The alleged false imprisonment of Alfred Dreyfus continues to be widely discussed. One of the family today told the Associated Press that Dreyfus never sold papers to Germany, the papers were forged and the case was one of blackmail pure and simple.

COMPOSER VERDE PROSTRATED

By Associated Press to the Sun.

Rome, Nov. 18.—Signor Guiseppe Verde the celebrated composer of music who has been suffering greatly since the death of his wife, Sunday is so prostrated that serious results are feared.

NO SIGN OF SUBMISSION.

By Associated Press to the Sun.

Madrid, Nov. 18.—The Havana correspondent of the Herald has cabled that in spite of the concessions made to the Cuban autonomists and in spite of the autonomist prefects in different provinces, there does not exist a single sign of the approaching submission of the insurgents.

FOUND DEAD

A TREE CRUSHED ALVA KELLEY.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Exeter, N. H., Nov. 17.—Alva Kelley of Norwood was instantly killed late yesterday afternoon by a tree falling on him, crushing his head. He was in a dense woods and was found this morning.

BANK OFFICIALS ARRESTED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Spokane, Washington, Nov. 18.—Mayor Ed. Olmstead and the directors of the Citizens' National bank have been charged with accepting deposits when the bank was known to be insolvent.

COMPETITOR PRISONERS FREE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 18.—Minister Woodford has telgraphed to the state department that the Spanish cabinet has notified him that the Queen has pardoned the competitor prisoners They start for New York today.

TOD SLOANE WON.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

London, Nov. 18—Tod Sloane won the Drakelow stakes of two hundred and fifty sovereigns today on Draco.

YOUNG MEN'S INSTITUTE.

Fifty young men of the High street church met at the residence of Major Stott last night and listened to an address by H. J. Richardson of Boston who explained the features of the Berkely Temple work. The young Mens' Institute at Berkley Temple has 150 members with five departments, all calculated to aid the members morally and mentally.

LOC

Tonight the great Hurdy-Gurdy party will take place at Associate hall.

POLICE COURT.

Seven drunks.

Thomas Guthrie got six months in the state farm.

Michael Rock, against whom probable cause was found for alleged burglary was held in $200 for the Superior court.

Orrison Bordelleau, charged with threatening, was held in $100 to keep the peace for six months.

Eliza O'Donnell was fined $10 for larceny.

O'NEIL'S LAWYERS

ASK FOR A NEW TRIAL FOR THEIR CLIENT.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Greenfield, Nov. 18—Beer & Dowlin counsel for John O'Neil, the convicted murderer of Mrs. Hattie McCloud, led a motion for a new trial this morning on the grounds that the verdict was against the evidence and the weight of the evidence and that there was evidence of prejudice and prejudgment on the part of William N. Washburn, foreman of the jury,

MOTHER KILLED

WHILE TRYING TO SAVE HER CHILD.

By Associated Press to the Sun.

Pawtucket, R. I., Nov. 18.—While trying to save the life of her six-year-old son this morning, Mrs. Arthur Fortin was struck by a train. Both were instantly killed. The boy had wandered on to the railroad track and stood paralyzed as the train approached.

FRANK L. REDHEAD

Was Indicted by the Grand Jury Today.

ON A CHARGE OF STEALING LETTERS.

Bills Found Against W. H. Matthews.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Boston, Nov. 18.—The U. S. grand jury reported this morning and true bills were found against Mrs. Agnes Atwood and W. H. Matthews, letter box thieves, arrested some time ago for robbing Boston mail boxes. The pair are alleged members of a gang that has been working in several cities in the country.

An indictment was also found against Frank L. Redhead of Lowell, for stealing letters.

THREE FATALITIES.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Schenectady, Nov. 18.—A peculiar accident occurred eight miles from here yesterday afternoon. A travelling doctor was mixing some remedy on a stove when it exploded. Mrs. John Brown was burned to death and her two daughters, one of seven years and the other four years old, will die.

ORDINANCE AND LEGISLATION.

At the meeting of the committee on ordinance and legislation last night it was voted to recommend the passage of "an ordinance providing for estimates for appropriations and for other purposes.

The petition or a new ordinance making it compulsory for the city engineer to prepare plans and specifications and give an estimate of cost on al proposed new public works or improvements was looked upon as unnecessary and superfluous and the committee voted to report that such an ordinance, in its opinion, is inexpedient.

On the proposed ordinance to prevent corporations and individuals from digging up paved streets at pleasure, it was voted to give all parties interested a hearing at an early date.

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Boucle Jackets, half lined, $3.98.
Kersey Jackets, lined, $5.98.
Two toned Boucle, silk lined, $8.00.
Braid and Fur Trimmed Capes, $1.98.
Boucle Capes, Thibet trimmed, $6.00.
Plush Capes, Fur trimmed, $3.98.
Monkey Collarettes, Electric Seal yoke, $5.75.
Baltic Seal Collarettes $1.75.
Electric Seal, Astrachan yoke Collarettes, $3.75.
Black Brocade Skirts 98c.
Black Henrietta Skirts $5.00.
Figured Mohair Skirts $2.50.
Lined Corduroy Blouses $3.25.
Handsome All Wool Plaid Waists $2.98.
Little Children's Long Coats, Fur trimmed, 99c.
Plaid Waists 98c.
Children's Woolen Plaid Dresses, lined, 79c.
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Make Room! Make Room!

Make Room For What?

The increased population Lowell will contain next Tuesday and Wednesday when the people from the surrounding towns will come to the

BIG

Union Market

FOR THEIR

Thanks-giving Turkey

WE WILL HAVE

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The finest the land can produce at the one and only

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A business administration, a lower tax rate and better government, what Mr. Pearson will give the citizens if elected mayor.

Hon. George A. Marden says the republicans want a mayor who has sand and he favors Col. Bennett, who uses this commodity largely in his business.

General Wannamaker, the greatest merchant in the country, is the latest to testify in favor of newspaper advertising. He says it has been one of the chief elements in his success.

A new discrepancy has been found in the caucus law in the fact that if the name of a caucus officer is used upon any ballot or committee even without the knowledge, he is ineligible.

Republicans are accused of fraudulent registration in making voters of men without waiting for the formality of getting naturalized. It is a serious charge and should be probed to the bottom.

Col. Bennett says the present city government is all right because it called for no loans. The records at city hall will show quite a number of loans contracted this year and the junket bill is yet unpaid.

"Ren" Smith is blacklisted because he voted for Dick Bray. "Ren" in so doing had an eye single to the interests of the city, something which is not very common with some of his republican colleagues.

Winchester blames a fire bug for the destruction of the Unitarian church, which was burned on Tuesday evening. The matter interests other cities as to whether the fire bug lives in Winchester or was merely a transient.

The republican opponents of Col. Bennett are straining every point to get Wilson out of the mayoralty fight in Lawton's interest. But Mr. Wilson claims he is stronger than Lawton and asks why does not Mr. Lawton draw out. He is the weakest man.

It is a very laudable act for the United States government to despatch an expedition to the Arctic seas for the relief of the ice bound whalers from New Bedford. It is doubtful, however, if the relief expedition will reach the suffering whalers alive.

A matrimonial agent is to take two or three hundred women to Alaska and find them husbands. The women who will start on such an expedition, of course, will not be very particular as to whether the husbands selected by this gentleman have wives in any other part of the country. They are not expected to be too inquisitive.

The crisis between Platt and the Citizens' movement in New York is now to be made more serious than ever by the effort to run Seth Low as candidate for governor. Mr. Low is in every way qualified to be governor of New York state and is certainly preferable to any man whom Mr. Platt is likely to select. By all means let Mr. Low be the candidate for governor and again defeat Mr. Platt's choice just as he did in the Greater New York.

The Hon. Joseph O'Neil is to nominate Mayor Quincy at the coming convention in Boston. Mr. O'Neil had the reputation of being in sympathy with the gold democrats, and it is quite right that he should be called upon to nominate Mayor Quincy. There is not much appearance of a Citizens' movement in the matter and there will be still less when the republicans shall have nominated their candidate.

Does any republican imagine that George T. Woodward can improve upon the work of Richard Bray as superintendent of Inns and Buildings? Nobody who knows Mr. Bray's ability as a superintendent and a workman will for a moment doubt that there is any other than the most unjustifiable political reasons for Bray's removal. Mr. Bray can stand up against the entire city and defy criticism of his department. He has kept within the appropriation and withal has performed excellent work. He has shown more for the money expended than has been shown in any other department. Mr. Bray's removal will be a serious loss to the city.

Notwithstanding the opposition to lynching that prevails here in New England, it would not be very hard to stir up the citizens to the lynching of a few criminals. A few sentences like that in the Kelley case would be sufficient for the purpose. Now suppose that Mrs. Nack and Martin Thorn should escape the electric chair who would have the hardihood to say that a party of citizens who should take into their own hands the matter of administering justice would commit a crime? Or assuming that Luetgert, the Chicago sausage manufacturer, is set at liberty, who could blame the outraged citizens of Chicago for inflicting summary punishment by hanging him to the nearest lamp post? A few flagrant miscarriages of justice in capital cases would suffice to establish lynch law even here in staid New England.

The headquarters of the Supreme Council of the A.P.A. at Washington have been closed and the furniture has been sold or returned to the mortgagees. What a calamity it must have been to the citizens of Washington and the nation at large to see their defenders vanish in the dead of night in such a mysterious manner. Verily, we are at the mercy of any enemy that may come along since this band of patriots has retired to their native obscurity.

The special sessions for naturalization afford those who are eligible an opportunity either to start on the road to citizenship or else to take out their final papers and become voters. It should be the ambition of every man who intends to make his home here to assume the prerogatives of citizenship as early as possible.

The sentences given the assailants of Officer Leighton will convince most people that it is unprofitable to fight with an officer and especially such an officer as Mr. Leighton. The law always sustains an officer attacked in the discharge of his duty.

DROWNING A HORSE.

TWO MEN DRIVE THE ANIMAL INTO THE RIVER.

A couple of remarkable individuals have just been found in South Lawrence.

Wednesday afternoon, some men around Toye's ice house on the south side of the river saw a man slowly unrobe himself on the banks of the Merrimack. When his last stitch of clothing was taken off, he went up to a poor, old broken-down horse which was standing by, lame and spavined and almost transparent, and seizing him by the halter he led him into the water.

Out waded the man into the stream and led the horse after him. His purpose was to drown the animal, but his method of doing so was a very original one. When he got out to his neck, the water did not cover the horse's back and it was thought that he was about to push the animal over on to his side when the men at the ice house yelled for him to stop or else he would be arrested. The man in the water paid no attention to their warning, and so word was sent to the police station and Assistant Marshal Kline went over in the police wagon to the scene of the trouble but the men had dressed before he arrived and had gone down Merrimack street, toward Kelly's horse undertaking establishment.

CRISP GOSSIP.

I know several well known young men of this city who pose as "bloods" of the first water are looked upon as being very swell. They receive invitations to many of the private parties, but I have noticed several times that they do not put out much money. They wait until a dance is well on, and then come in when the door-tender is not looking. They are always dressed well, so that they can go upon the dance floor. They seldom put out any money at a dance, for they even wait until after refreshment time before coming in. The people who are conducting dances are just at present getting on to this delegation.

The hunting season is not yet over, but the list of shooting fatalities grows each day. It is now as large as that which covers football from the time of its introduction into this country. But still we are waiting for the introduction of measures looking to prevent this "harmless" sport by either the Georgia legislature or the Chicago board of aldermen.

A friend of mine who travels a good deal said yesterday: "I had a somewhat amusing experience in Brockton last week. I was in North Easton, and I took the electric car for Brockton. I told the conductor I wanted to get the train for Boston and to let me off near the station. He said he would and I gave no further concern to the matter. As time went by, I thought the journey was longer than I expected and looking through the car window, I saw that we had left Brockton behind and were going out into the country on another route. I spoke to my friend, the conductor. He had entirely forgotten me and had carried me about two miles beyond my stopping place. "Never mind," he said "I will send you back on the car we meet at the next turnout." He told the conductor of the incoming car of his mistake, but, would you believe it, Conductor No. 2 carried me about half a mile beyond the depot on the other side and sooner than a third risk I walked back. I missed my train and was delayed an hour."

A DAY OF BIG BARGAINS.

CONTINUATION OF OUR "BIG NOVEMBER SALE."

TODAY IN OUR CLOAK DEPARTMENT WE HAVE UNDOUBTEDLY THE BEST JACKET IN TOWN AT $4.98. ALSO LADIES' BOUCLE CAPES, FULL SWEEP, SALE PRICE $4.98. AN ELEGANT $12.50 SEAL PLUSH CAPE FOR $9.75. WE GUARANTEE A GENUINE REDUCTION ON EVERY GARMENT IN OUR STOCK. J. E. SHANLEY & CO. THE PLACE OF LOW PRICES. 156-158 MERRIMACK ST.

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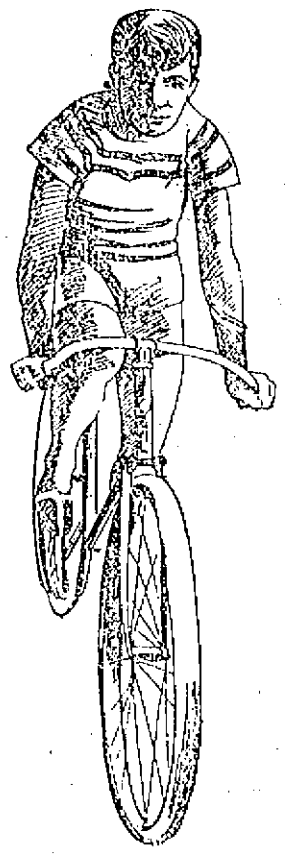

JIMMY MICHAEL, who will race for $50,000.

PERSONAL.

An original pension has been granted to Sybil D. Parsons of Lowell.

Mr. Robert Lord Burnap, traffic agent of the Central Vermont railroad, was in town yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Farrington and Miss Farrington have returned from a duck shooting trip on Cape Cod.

Mr. Perley Melvin, formerly of the Merrimack Print works, has accepted a position with some print works in Gloucester.

Included in the list of patents reported November 1, through the office of Crosby and Gregory, the Boston patent solicitors of Boston, is one for James T. Cowley of Lowell.

OFF FOR QUEENSTOWN.

The following Lowell people are booked through Murphy's steamship agency to leave Boston tomorrow on the Cunard Line steamer Cephalonia for the old country: Miss Bridget Rourke, Thomas Armstrong, Miss Annie O'Connor, Miss Susie O'Conor, and Ann Quinlan.

YESTERDAY'S FIRE.

The fire in Mr. Chadwick's house yesterday afternoon, as reported in our second edition of yesterday, was not destructive as was expected, although it burned for quite a while. The loss will not be heavy.

NICE ASSORTMENT OF CHILDREN'S LONG GARMENTS AT CHRIS. HOLMES', 124-126 MERRIMACK ST.

POST OFFICE RECEIPTS.

In the Washington correspondence a few days ago, the Philadelphia Record made a statement, substantially as follows:

"In the last month the postal receipts of the Lowell post office have increased more than $70,000. The postmaster there has been asked for an explanation.

Of course the paper has made a big mistake. The receipts of September were $11,813, and $11,597 for October.

SUPERIOR COURT—GASKILL, J.

In the Superior court yesterday, nearly all the time was taken up with a Boston case involving the sale of a restaurant with a mortgage attached. Atkins vs. Chase. Decision was reserved.

About noon the uncontested divorce case of Hannah vs. Hannah, represented by J. F. Haskell, was taken up.

In the afternoon the time was taken up with the case of Gardner vs. Campbell, a claim of plaintiff, who is an architect, for compensation for drawing plans for a house on Agawam street. N. D. Platt, Esq., for plaintiff, Hon. John H. Morrison for respondent.

The court has affirmed the claim of plaintiff in the case of Geo. W. Poole, inventor, vs. the Massachusetts Mohair Plush company. Plaintiff claims $35,000 in royalties, in that he was the inventor of improvements on certain looms the Plush company was starting to use. He was to be and was manager up to about a year ago. A pending matter with the Crompton Loom company also entered into the somewhat complicated case.

Respondents set up that plaintiff's claim was only good for five years. He was advised that it was good for ten years at least. He had been paid $2600 and under the decision of the court will his counsel says he entitled to recover $12,000 or $13,000 more. Burke, Marshall & Corbett for the plaintiff; Johnson, Clapp & Underwood for the respondents.

While in New York the past week, Chris Holmes, at 124 and 126 Merrimack street, closed out an entire stock of ladies' coats and capes at 45 cents on the dollar. Special sale now going on at his store, 124 and 126 Merrimack street.

A COLONIAL SOCIAL.

A very pretty colonial social was held last evening in the First Baptist church, under the direction of four of the Sunday school teachers.

CO. M. SHOOT.

The annual shoot and banquet of M Company, Ninth Regiment, Lowell City Guards, was held yesterday, the shoot at the rifle range in the afternoon and the banquet at the St. Charles hotel in the evening. Lieutenant Gillon received first prize and Major Donovan of Lawrence getting the guests' first prize.

NOBBY TAN KERSEY JACKETS AT CHRIS. HOLMES' SPECIALTY STORE, 124-126 MERRIMACK ST.

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Not one test given gold, though, will iron pyrites stand.

Much the same way with other malt extracts.

They resemble Johann Hoff's. Look like it, but there is one difference—a great difference—none of them will do what Johann Hoff's will.

One dozen bottles of the genuine JOHANN HOFF'S MALT EXTRACT give as much strength and nourishment as a cask of ale, without being intoxicating.

All dealers sell it. See that the signature of "JOHANN HOFF" is on the neck label of every bottle. *Insist upon it.* None other is genuine or in any way equal to it.

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They have stood the test of years, and have cured thousands of cases of Nervous Diseases, such as Debility, Dizziness, Sleeplessness and Varicocele, Atrophy, &c. They clear the brain, strengthen the circulation, make digestion perfect, and impart a healthy vigor to the whole being. All drains and losses are checked *from-monthly*. Unless patients are properly cured, their condition often worries them into Insanity, Consumption or Death. Mailed sealed. Price $1 per box; 6 boxes, with iron-clad legal guarantee to cure or refund the money, $5 00. Send for free book. Address, PEAL MEDICINE CO., Cleveland, O.

And at Goodale's Drug Store, the best and cheapest place in Lowell for drugs and medicines, 217 CENTRAL STREET.

MARTIN IMPRISONED.

In the advices from Australia, brought by the steamer Mariposa, which arrived yesterday from Sydney, via Honolulu, was the following:

At the Adelaide City police court, October 18, W. Martin, the Lowell cyclist, was sentenced to 14 days' imprisonment at hard labor for assaulting F. P. Ridley, a few days earlier. The bench refused to impose a fine.

NEW TAILORING ESTABLISHMENT.

J. B. Lablacheur the well known tailor, formerly in business at 173 Merrimack street and recently with Louis Alexander, has opened a tailoring establishment at 81 Merrimack street where he will be pleased to meet his former patrons and friends.

FROM MAINE TO CALIFORNIA.

The household remedy for Coughs, Colds, Asthma, and Consumption, is Cleveland's Lung Healer. It has won its place upon its merit and it has given such universal satisfaction that we recommend to all our friends and customers to use it. Call and get a free trial bottle. Large size, 25c.

Respectfully,
F. H. Butler & Co.
265 Central and 391 Middlesex Sts.

Nearly everyone in Lowell is familiar with the immense display and rush of business at the holiday season which always comes at Thanksgiving and Christmas at the Banner market on Prescott street. This year they will outdo every former effort. See their ad.

BLUE PEOPLE BRIGHT.

The business man's friend, Bicola Pills, are a scientific remedy, and the only perfect cure for the diseases of the nervous system. A remedy adapted for the banker, doctor, lawyer, preacher, and merchant. While Bicola Pills are intended for all who are afflicted with nervous weakness, they are particularly adapted to women suffering from a weakened condition of the nervous system, with prostration, faintness, etc. Bicola Pills give immediate relief—for rheumatism, and all blood and nervous troubles. Discovered and perfected by THE TURNERS of Philadelphia. The Turners also make:

TARZINA—The only ointment for skin troubles, Corns Piles.
TURNERS' LITTLE LIVER TURNERS—A very small pill. Turn your liver.

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No. 378 Bridge Street.
Meats and Provisions.
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PHILIP J. FARLEY,
Room 11, Barristers' Hall.
Attorney and Counsellor at Law.

DON'T

Put off the bow to the inevitable. Your sleigh must be made ready for winter use sooner or later. To-day is not any too soon. What little time there is will be needed for the paint and varnish to dry and harden.

We are already at work on quite a few.

Can we add yours to the list?

The SAWYER CARRIAGE COMPANY
WORTHEN STREET.

The DAYLIGHT Incandescent Gas Lamp
will save you one-half your gas and give three times the light. The DAYLIGHT Mantles will last three times as long as any other on the market. Try them.
I have for sale Chimneys (globes or tubes) that will fit lamp in use.

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A FINE
H. F. Miller Piano $70
FOR
With Stool, Cover and Book
If so call at once at 101 Westford street. It is the place where High Grade Pianos are always sold at a low figure.

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SURGEON DENTIST
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Honest Value for Your Money

WE HAVE THE BARGAINS IN SHOES.

Our stores are filled with shoes which we are selling at lower prices than any other store in Lowell.

Ladies' Shoe Dressing, 5c. per bottle.
Ladies' House Slippers, 25c.
Ladies' Serge Congress, 49c.
Children's Strap Slippers, sizes 5 to 8, 43c; sizes 9 to 11, 49c.
Children's Russet, spring heel, sizes 5 to 8, 35c.
Children's Kid, no heel, sizes 3 to 6, 25c.
A Good Wearing Ladies' Shoe, three different styles, 98c.
A Splendid Bargain in Children's Shoes for 65c. and 75c.
An Excellent Wearing Shoe for Boys for 85c.
The Men's Shoes we sell for $1.00 are worth $1.50.

It will pay you to look in our windows if you are coming down street today. We are constantly putting in small lots of shoes which we sell below cost.

WE GIVE TRADING COUPONS.

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115 CENTRAL and 292 BRIDGE STS.

TEETH No Charge For Extracting
$5 to $10 a Set
Every set warranted to be the same teeth that other dentists rank $15 and $18 for, and every set warranted to fit. Gold Fillings and Gold Crown work a specialty. Teeth filled with Gold by Electricity. No pain. Teeth Extracted Without Pain by our new method. Thirty years' experience. Artificial Teeth without plates; also Bloodless Plates. Teeth extracted and replaced the same day as extracted—no need of going without. No Sunday work. Office hours: 7 a. m. to 9 p. m. Not open Evenings.
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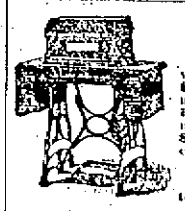

SPECIAL SALE OF SEWING MACHINES.
During the next 10 days we shall offer a regular $50 Sewing Machine, manufactured by the New Home Company, at the remarkably low price of $16.75. These Machines have all up-to-date improvements, with a complete set of attachments and a 10 year guarantee.
$16.75
Sold on 30 Day's Trial.
If not satisfactory, to be returned at our expense. It will pay you to see them.

RING'S BIG STORE,
Sewing Machines and Bicycles, 221, 229 Dutton Street.

N. Y. Cloak & Suit Co.,
12 JOHN STREET.

Thanksgiving BARGAINS

In order to reduce our enormous stock which at the present time is by far too large.

We have made sweeping reductions. All the newest and most popular sellers at

JANUARY PRICES.

JACKETS.

$8 Beaver Jackets, reduced price $2.49.
$6.75 Covert Cloth Jackets, reduced price $4.98.
$7.50 Boucle Jackets, reduced price $4.95.
$9.75 Boucle Jackets, reduced price $5.75.
$12.50 Cheviot Lined Jackets, reduced price $7.50.
$15.00 Astrakhan Boucle Jacket, reduced price $9.50.

CAPES.

Beaver Cape, neatly braided, reduced price $2.75.
30-inch Boucle Cape, full sweep, edged with Thibet, regular price $8.50, reduced price $4.95.

FURS. FURS.

Collarettes at $2.49, $2.75 and $2.98, reduced from $4.75, $4.95 and $5.75.
30-inch Astrachan Fur Cape, full sweep, worth $10.75, reduced price $6.75.

Special values in Fur Jackets, Mackintoshes, Silk, Wool, and Velvet Waists, etc.

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Stylish Suits and Overcoats for the Men and Boys.
Capes, Jackets, Collarettes and Skirts for the Ladies' and Girls.
SOLD ON CREDIT.
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No need for anyone to freeze trying to save enough to buy your winter outfit, as our terms will enable you to buy now and pay for goods while wearing them.

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Have advanced, but we are selling lower than ever before for cash. Call and get our prices.
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Particular attention given to Watch Repairing.

Notice, For the next 15 days, A. M. Bertrand, the tailor will make his $22 Suits for $15, his $25 Suits for $20, his $30 Suits for $22. Trousers from $4 upwards. Cleaning, pressing and repairing done at short notice.
A. M. BERTRAND, 24 Middle St.
Few doors from the corner of Central St.

TO LET—Suite of rooms on first floor of O'Donnell & Gilbride Co.'s Building, corner of Merrimack and Palmer streets. Suitable for a physician. Apply at once.

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COME TODAY. POST YOURSELF ON VALUES. LESSONS DAILY THAT MEAN A BIG SAVING TO YOU.

NAPKINS

At the Greatest BARGAIN PRICES Ever Quoted.

100 dozen 5-8 Napkins, regular $1 grade, at 49 cents per dozen.
75 dozen 3-4 Napkins, regular $1.50 and $1.75 grade, at 98 cents per dozen.
50 dozen extra size and extra quality Napkins, worth $2.25 and $2.50, at $1.60 per dozen.

Towels, Doylies.

100 dozen regular 17 cent Towels, for a few days at 10 cents each.
75 dozen regular 25 cent Towels, for a few days at 12½ cents each.
75 dozen regular 50 cent Towels, for a few days at 49 cents each.
200 dozen Doylies, usually sold at $1, during these two days 60 cents per dozen.
100 dozen Stamped Doylies, regular prices 5 to 10 cents, at 3 cents each.

Furniture Dept.

Goods that are as good as they are cheap.

Goods must be right in style, quality workmanship and finish and low in price to be classed as bargains in this store.

Sideboards.

17 oak sideboards 45 inches wide, elegantly polished has mirror 28 by 16. Silver drawer lined, cast brass trimmings, a $22.00 board for $15.00 each.
10 solid oak sideboards, 4 feet wide, elaborately carved and finished, French plate mirror and considered good value at $27.50, down to $18.00 each.
12 quartered oak sideboards, 4 feet wide, finely carved, French plate mirror, 40 by 18. These boards are made from selected quartered oak and the cabinet work and finish are high grade. Price for this sale, $25.00 each.
1 lot of 6 feet sideboards, same grade as above lot and sold to date, $45.00. Down to $28.00 each.

Dining Tables.

25 Oak Extension Tables, 6 feet long, polished top, strongly constructed, a $6.00 value at $3.90 each.
25 Oak Extension Tables, 8 feet long, carved claw feet; polished finish, a $10.00 table, at $6.87 each.
15 Dining Tables very heavy constructed, 8 feet long, 45x45 when closed, a $14.00 article, at $9.00 each.
17 Dining Tables, carved by hand, with large claw feet—8 feet long, a regular $16.00 table, at $10.00 each.

Dining Chairs.

20 dozen high back, cane seat, brace arm dining chair, sold to date, $1.40, down to 87c. each.
15 dozen very high back chairs, elaborately carved back, finely finished, down to $1.25 each.
10 dozen box seat Dining Chairs, polished finish, fine cane seat, a $2.00 chair at $1.50 each.
6 dozen box seat Dining Chairs, upholstered in best quality leather, a $3.50 chair, at $2.50 each.

China Closets.

15 Oak China Closets made from choicest quartered oak polished inside and outside, an extraordinary value, at $13.50 each.
11 China Closets, 4 feet wide, round ends and quartered oak adjustable shelves. French bevel mirror on top, actual worth $30.00, down to $19.00 each.

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JACKETS.

$4.75 for elegant up-to-date coats, in black and colors, made a finished equal to any sold this season, by any house in America for $8.00 each.
$7.50 for real $12.50 Box Coats. Made from the two best cloak materials, Boucle and Kersey, new shield front and high storm collars, lined throughout with colored satins, and in black or colored materials.
$10.00 for regular $15.00 and $16.00 coats Surpassing all former efforts at $10, with several correct styles which in point of style, material, fit and workmanship and sterling value have no equals in Lowell or Boston. Made of imported Kersey and Boucles, black, blue, tan, green and brown, plain and velvet inlaid storm collars; lined throughout with heavy satin and Roman striped taffetas, every garment made by men tailors.

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$5.50 for a $8.50 Cape. Kersey and Boucle. Capes, correct length and sweep, high storm collar, edged with Thibet fur and thoroughly well tailored.
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We are headquarters for New England on these very popular Coats, and are showing several legths and styles with plain and fancy linings, from $17.50 to $55 each.

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Every style and every grade of Fur, from $1.98 to $25.00 each.

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In Flannel, Serge, Mohair, Silk, Velvets, Cashmere, Plaids and Solid Colors, from 98 cents upwards.

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Everything needed for Kitchen or Dining at prices so low as to make this the BARGAIN EVENT OF THE SEASON.

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30 English Stone China Sets, 112 pieces in each set assorted color decorations, a $10.00 value, at $6.89 per set.
15 Gold Traced 112 piece Dinner Sets, a regular $16.00 set at $10.89 per set.
18 Colonial Blue 112 piece Dinner Sets usual price $20.00, at $14.00 per set.
15 Antique Blue 112 Piece Dinner Sets, regular $23.00 sets, at $17.00 per set.

Tea Sets.

56 piece Tea Sets, assorted decorations, at $2.89 per set.
56 piece American China Tea Sets, a regular $8.00 value, at $4.89 per set.
56 piece French China Tea Sets, a regular $10.00 value, at $5.89 per set.
56 piece Havlland Tea Set, a regular $17.00 value, at $12.89 per set.

SUNDRY CROCKERY BARGAINS

10 inch Yellow Lipped Bowls, down to 17 cents each.
12 inch Yellow Lipped Bowls, down to 27 cents each.
10 inch Yellow Napples down to 9 cents each.
12 inch Yellow Napples down to 13 cents each.
12 inch Round or Square Dishes, down to 39 cents each.
14 inch Round or Square Dishes down to 49 cents each.

SUNDRY CROCKERY BARGAINS

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Handled Custard Cups, down to 59 cents per dozen.
Blue Edge Pie Plates, any size for 6 cents each.
Rice Plates, any size (white) for 6 cents each.
10 inch Decorated Platters, 20 cent values down to 13 cents each.
Decorated Bone Plates, 10 cent values down to 6 cents each.

Fish, Berry and Ice Cream Sets

13 piece Berry Sets, a regular $2.00 value, at $1.39 per set.
13 piece Ice Cream Sets, a regular $7.60 value, at $1.89 per set.
14 piece Fish Sets, a regular $10.00 value, at $6.98 per set.

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14 inch Glass Punch Bowl on foot a $2.60 value, at $1.69 each.
10 inch Glass Punch Bowl, footed a $1.25 value, at 89 cents each.
8 inch Footed Berry Bowls, regular value 50 cents, down to 29 cents each.
9 inch Footed Berry Bowls, regular value 59 cents, down to 39 cents each.
Blown Plain Tumblers, regular price 50 cents, down to 35 cents per dozen.
Blown Banded Tumblers, regular price 75 cents, down to 45 cents each.
Blown Engraved Tumblers, regular price 85 cents, down to 59 cents each.
Pressed Tumblers, ribbed bottoms, 2 cents each.
Glass Lemon Squeezers 5 cents each.

KNIVES, FORKS, SPOONS

At Thanksgiving Prices.

Rogers' Nickel Tea Spoons at 89 cents per dozen.
Bone Handled Knives and Forks at 39 cents per dozen
Bone Handled Butcher Knives at 19 cents each.
Wood Handled Bread Knives at 5 cents each.
Rogers' Oyster Forks at $1.39 per set.

KNIVES, FORKS, SPOONS.

(CONTINUED)

Rogers' Nut Sets, 7 pieces, $1.39 per set.
Rogers' Dessert Spoons at $1.49 per dozen.
Rogers' Tea Spoons at $1.09 per dozen.
Rogers' Nickel Forks and Table Spoons at $1.89 per dozen.
Rogers' Orange Spoons at $2.19 per set.
Rogers' Nickel Knives at $2.39 per dozen.
Rogers' Dessert Spoons and Forks at $3.29 per dozen.
Rogers' Table Spoons and Forks at $3.39 per dozen.
Rogers' Table Knives at $2.98 per dozen.

Kitchen Sundries.

Crimped Loaf Pans 17 cents each.
Nut Crackers 15 cents each.
Vitor Flour Sleves 7 cents each.
Protection Pie Plates, lift out bottom 7 cents each.
The simple double Turkey Roasters 23 cents a pair.
The Boston Self Basting Turkey Roasters 29 cents a pair.
11x15 Sheet Iron Drip Pans 13 cents each.
12x17 Sheet Iron Drip Pans 17 cents each.
14x19 Sheet Iron Drip Pans 19 cents each.
10 Quart Bread Raisers 23 cents each.
The Celebrated Gem Raisin Seeder 39 cents each.
The Celebrated Dover Egg Beater 7 cents each.
No. 7 Nickel Tea Kettles, all one piece 69 cents each.

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Here are Linens fresh from the loom, with more chic and elegance, more new designs and superior weaving qualities than have ever been shown in Lowell at these marvelously low prices.

Linen Dept.

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At 25 cents per yard, we offer 25 pieces half bleached and silver bleached Linen in an exquisite assortment of patterns. These goods are 58 inches wide and usually retail at 39 cents per yard.
At 39 cents per yard, 20 pieces of silver bleached Linen, 58 inches wide, in the very newest and most elegant designs shown this season. These goods are actually worth 60 cents per yard today.
At 69 cents per yard, 30 pieces of bleached and silver bleached extra heavy Linens, 65 inches wide, in Shamrock, Thistle, Rose and Fern patterns, and every piece of this lot is actually worth $1 per yard.
At 98 cents per yard, 16 pieces of extra fine Linens in exclusive patterns, 73 inches wide, the most elegant thing that has ever been offered over any retail counter and was actually imported to retail at $1.60 per yard. We have also different size Napkins in stock to match these patterns.
We place on sale today 75 Linen Table Sets, comprising the cover and napkins to match. These goods are extra fine quality in plain white and white with colored borders. The sizes are 10-8 and 12-1 covers, and the napkins are 5-8 size, and the goods were made to retail from $5 to $7.50, but we will offer them in this Thanksgiving sale divided into two lots at the ridiculously low prices of $2.50 and $3.98 per set.

Colored Damask.

15 pieces of Turkey Red Damask, fast color, good assortment of patterns, at 19 cents per yard.
17 pieces of heavy Turkey Red Damask, 60 inches wide, in blocks, figure and scroll patterns. We warrant the colors perfectly fast, guaranteed to boil without fading and made to retail at 60 cents. Price for two days, 30 cents per yard.
20 pieces of best quality German Damask, in two toned combinations and solid colors, a regular $1.50 grade, at 69 cents per yard.

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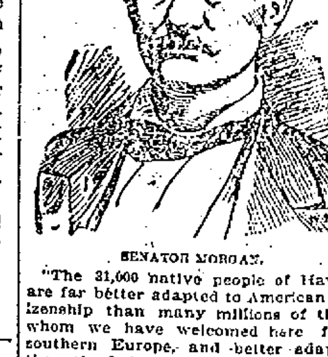
AS TO NATIONAL DUTY

And What it is in Connection With the Hawaiian Question.

Senator Morgan Favors the Annexation—A Profitable Investment for the Expenditure of Millions.

Washington, Nov. 19.—Senator Morgan of Alabama, member of the committee on foreign relations, has reached here on his way back from Honolulu, where he went to post himself on the annexation question. In an interview on the results of his trip he said: "My conclusions, based on my observations, are only a confirmation of what I had previously believed—that it is our national duty and will be in every way advantageous to all concerned to annex Hawaii to this country. I have studied the question from the most authentic and reliable sources. The establishment of an outpost of the United States within the tropics and 2000 miles from our coast challenges the inquiry whether such action is necessary to our national welfare. Our northwestern possessions on the Pacific, along the Aleutian archipelago, are ever 1000 miles west of Honolulu. This gives us control of practically the entire American coast of the north Pacific. The intervention of the British possessions from the straits of Fuca to the northern boundary of Alaska creates a powerful reason for our occupation of Hawaii. Without imputing to Great Britain any other motive than to extend her national policy of commercial inquest, it seems very obvious that if she should acquire dominion of Hawaii and open and fortify Pearl harbor, her military fortress at Esquimault, on the island of Vancouver, co-operating, she would cut our coast line in two and leave us incumbered with a mass of territory in Alaska whose defense would be almost impossible and the famous advantage of which would be lost to us. The Vancouver coal fields would give the British navy almost irresistible advantage in war and virtual dominion of commerce in time of peace.



SENATOR MORGAN.

"The 31,000 native people of Hawaii are far better adapted to American citizenship than many millions of those whom we have welcomed here from southern Europe, and better adapted than the Indians, Mexicans and native Alaskans. Except among the few who expect personal favors and advancement from re-establishment of the royal government, the general body of the Hawaiian population will rejoice in the honor, safety, peace and prosperity which annexation will bring. Morally and practically, the silent invasion of Hawaii from the orient (the Japanese) violates all the declared policies and often expressed purpose of the United States to protect those people against foreign interference. The island as a national possession would richly reward us for an expenditure of $100,000,000. The annexation would cost us nothing and will not at present excite the open opposition of any nation."

Oh, How They Hurt.

Neuralgic pains are often so acute, that the poor sufferer becomes, almost, frenzied with the intensity of the pain. Salvation Oil will instantly relieve and effectually cure neuralgia, so there is no reason why a moment's pain should be endured. Mr. Jacob Klein, 1036 Main St., Evansville, Ind., writes: "My wife suffered from neuralgia for seven years and since she used Salvation Oil, she has not had a spell. I think it is the best liniment I have ever tried, and I would not be without a bottle of it in the house. I had the rheumatism for five years and had tried a great many liniments, and must say that Salvation Oil did me more good than any other remedy." Salvation Oil is sold everywhere for 25 cents.

THEY WONDER WHY

Jacob Doll is selling so many PIANOS. The reason why is plain. The quality is up, the price is down, the touch is wonderful, the tone is powerful, the scale is perfect, the cases are up to date and forty other reasons. Jacob Doll High Grade Pianos, 3-2 Merrimack street, Associate Building, opp. City Hall, Sam L. Orr, Manager.

COUNTERFEITS DISCOVERED.

Washington, Nov. 19.—The secret service bureau announces the discovery of a new counterfeit $10 silver certificate and also a counterfeit national bank note. The certificate is a photographic production printed on two pieces of paper pasted together. No attempt has been made to color the back of the note, which is a shade of brown instead of green. The seal is colored a bright pink. The note is badly printed and the lathe work is blurred and indistinct.

The national bank note is on the First National of Joplin, Missouri, series 1882. It is also printed on two pieces of paper, and the silk fibre in the genuine is imitated by pen and ink marks.

WEYLER'S DECREE ON TOBACCO.

Washington, Nov. 19.—Dupuy De Lome, the Spanish minister, had a long conference with Assistant Secretary Day yesterday, and it is believed that the Spanish government is voluntarily about to remove another troublesome factor from the field of negotiations by revoking the decree made by General Weyler against the exportation of tobacco from Cuba. This prohibition has worked great hardship upon American cigar interests, and up to this time all efforts of the state department to secure an amelioration of the harsh conditions of the decree have been unavailing.

EMPLOYES MUST SETTLE.

Washington, Nov. 19.—The secretary of the treasury has issued a circular to employes to the effect that clerks receiving a stated salary who neglect to pay their debts contracted for the necessary support of themselves and their families, without presenting satisfactory reasons therefor, will not be retained in office.

consumption reaps his richest harvest where diseases of the throat and lungs are neglected.

HALE'S HONEY OF HOREHOUND AND TAR

If you have ever tried Hale's Honey of Horehound and Tar you know what a safeguard it is against throat and lung troubles. Sold by druggists.

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MT. HOLYOKE COLLEGE

The Sixteenth Anniversary Observed by Many of the Alumnae.

Founder Lyon is Designated Blessed—A Letter From Queen Victoria—Congratulations From all Points.

South Hadley, Mass., Nov. 19.—Thursday was founder's day at Mt. Holyoke college. The contrast between the day and the celebration of a year ago could scarcely be greater. Then the guests and students arrived through a pouring rain at the Congregational church, where the disastrous fire was related anew and the cornerstone of Mary Brigham hall was laid by proxy, the rain preventing the audience from going to the building. The campus was a scene of desolation, the ruins had not been cleared away, and the students were roaming far and near in the houses of the townspeople. Almost as if by magic, six beautiful buildings have arisen, surrounded by well arranged walks and lawns. Last spring was dedicated the first domitory completed, Mary Brigham hall, a gift of the New York alumnae in honor of Mary Brigham, who was elected the first president of the college, and who died before entering upon the duties of the office.

Many alumnae and friends came from long distances to attend the sixteenth anniversary, and rejoice together over the joyful present and hopeful future. The music was furnished by the college choral club and a selected choir.

Rev. Judson Smith, in his memorial address, said: "If Abraham was called of God, if Moses fulfilled a divine mystery, if our Washington was the man for the hour, if Elizabeth was set of God for the blessing of England; Mary Lyon was a providential woman for her place and work. We give praise to God when we rise up and call her blessed. The central and supreme force in the beginning of this enterprise was that remarkable, that providential woman whom we honor today. The seminary was born in her heart and brain, and bore her mark; and was filled and shaped by her thoughts and life up to the day of her death. It was her personality and power that drew together and held together the forces, men, means, patronage and public favor, which made the seminary possible and gave it permanent power. Others might have thought out a plan for such a school, but no one else would have taken it upon the heart so as to persuade others of its importance and feasibility; no one else would have breasted the opposition it awakened and undertaken the labors of solicitation and building involved, as she did, and have carried them through to success."

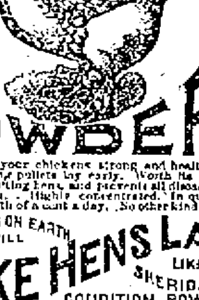
The memorial anthem by the choir was from S. P. Tuckerman. Mrs. Helen M. Gulliver, graduate in 1857, teacher from 1857 to 1867, and principal of the seminary until 1872, gave the dedicatory address of Safford and Porter halls. E. S. Morris of Munroe spoke of his personal contact with Deacon Porter. A communication was read from Queen Victoria's private secretary, in reply to a greeting sent to her by the trustees on her diamond anniversary last June. The communication came through the American ambassador, Henry White, and stated that the queen was much touched by the sentiment therein expressed

Miss A. M. Hune, graduate of '86, gave the dedicatory address for Dr. Pearsons, the donor of Pearsons hall. Dr. Pearsons has recently presented this building to the alumnae association of the northwest. Miss Dixon, graduate of '80 and librarian of the university of Chicago, spoke in behalf of the alumnae which she represents.

The last address, the dedication of J. D. Rockefeller hall, was by Rev. F. L. Goodspeed of Springfield, who said: "Almost appalling is the time of ours in its awful need, and yet sublime in its call to all who would debar mammon, the least-erect spirit that fell from heaven, from usurpation of the heart, and be true to the splendid demands of the christian stewardship. Works like these are the only imperishable work. These buildings may crumble at the touch of time, but the things they stand for will live after these mountains cease to smile in summer's sun and to glitter in winter's snowy crown, live after the river yonder has ceased to flow onward to the sea, live in thousands of souls fashioned to the highest type of culture and the finest issues of character, and graduated to the nobler forms of knowledge and service in the school of the incomparable Teacher."

Dr. Judson Smith read a statement that the $150,000 endowment fund which was being raised was completed within $35,000, and that the alumnae hoped to have that amount raised by January, 1898. Telegrams of greeting were received from Mills college faculty of California, Miss Frances E. Willard and Miss A. J. Gordon. The exercises closed with a dedicatory prayer by President Seelye of Smith college, and an anthem by the choir.

SHERIDAN'S CONDITION



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If you can't get it send to us. Ask first. ... I. S. Johnson & Co., 22 Custom House St., Boston, Mass.

AN ANTI-FOOTBALL MEASURE.

Atlanta, Nov. 19.—Representative Cole's football bill, providing for the prohibition of the playing of match or exhibition games where admission is charged, passed the senate yesterday. The measure now awaits the approval of the governor. There is no doubt but that he will sign it.

HAD QUARRELED OVER MONEY.

Benton Harbor, Mich., Nov. 19.—Henry Kammerer shot his father at their home yesterday. The son then set fire to the house and killed himself. The father was rescued from the fire, but died later. The tragedy resulted from a quarrel over money matters.

SCORES IN POLO GAMES.

New Bedford—Providence, 9; New Bedford, 2.
Portland—Lewiston, 8; Portland, 2.
Rockland—Rockland, 9; Gardiner, 3.
Salem—Salem, 9; Fall River, 6.
Wallingford—New Britain, 12; Wallingford, 0.

QUIBBLE DID NOT WORK.

Boston, Nov. 19.—The full bench of the supreme court holds that Jennie C. Wall of Franklin is entitled to recover $5939 from the receivers of the New York and New England railroad. The action was brought under the public statutes to recover the value of a house, barn and other buildings owned by the plaintiff which were destroyed by fire in May, 1894, caused by sparks from a locomotive on the defendant railroad. The respondents, who were appointed by the United States circuit court, claimed that as receivers they were not liable to the plaintiff; that the liability was upon the railroad itself.

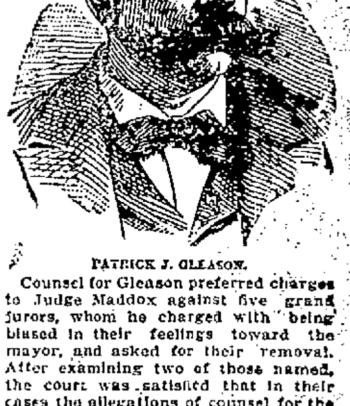
JURORS BIASED

Grand Jury of Queens County, N. Y.

DISCHARGED BY THE SUPREME COURT YESTERDAY.

They Include Mayor Gleason of L. I. City.

New York, Nov. 19.—Queens county is without a grand jury. That body was dismissed yesterday by Supreme Court Justice Maddox on the ground that it was illegally constituted. Indictments were not dismissed, and they will be passed upon by a new grand jury. Among those indicted were members of the water board of Long Island City, including Mayor Gleason. They pleaded not guilty.

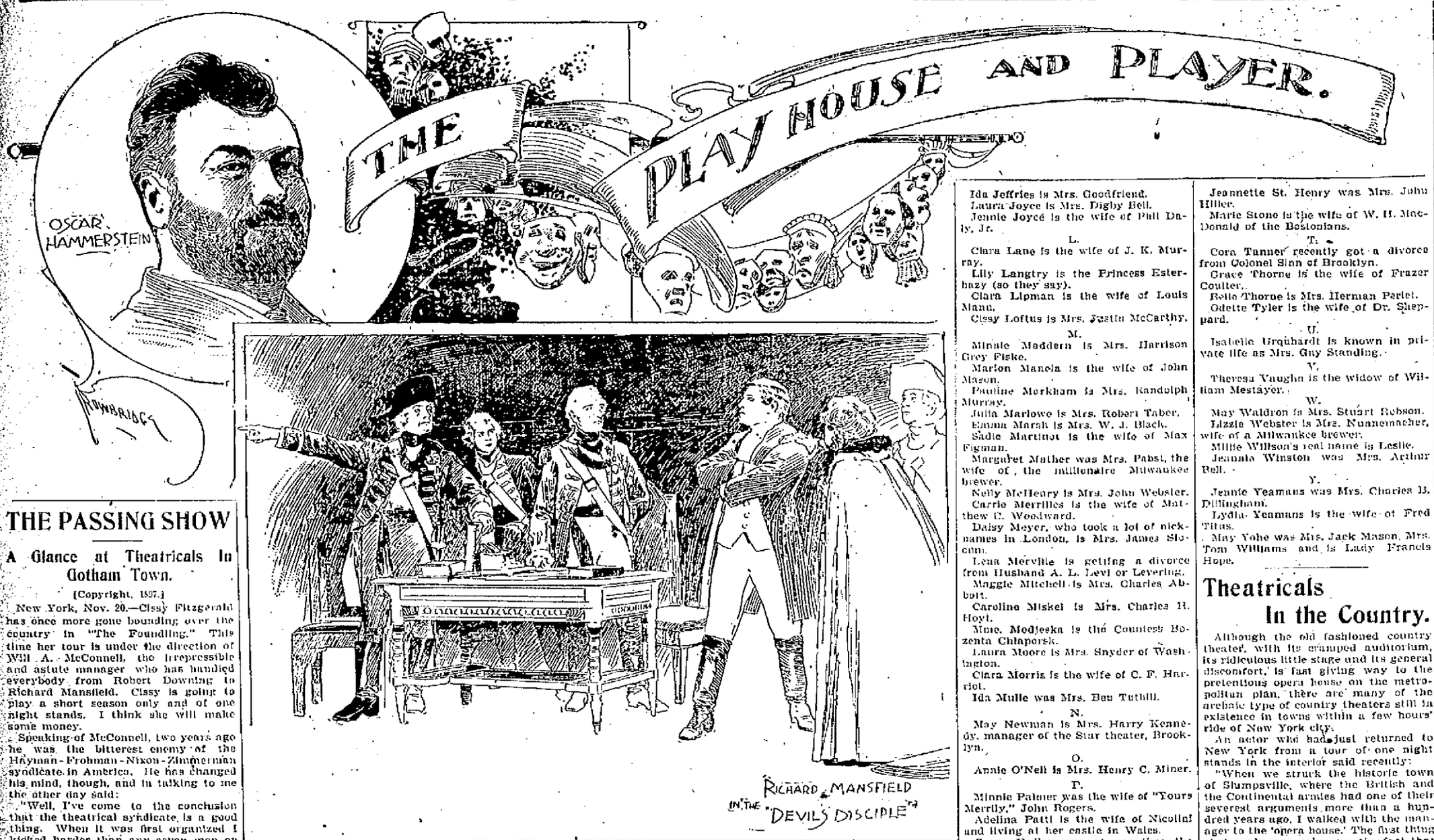


PATRICK J. GLEASON.

Counsel for Gleason preferred charges to Judge Maddox against five grand jurors, whom he charged with being biased in their feelings toward the mayor, and asked for their removal. After examining two of those named, the court was satisfied that in their cases the allegations of counsel for the defendants were true, and accordingly excused them. This left but 15 grand jurors, while 16 are required for a quorum. Therefore the judge was obliged to dismiss the panel.

MISDIRECTED CENSURE.

Cambridge, Mass., Nov. 19.—Never before has a Harvard team been under more serious criticism than were the men who tied Yale last week. The general opinion is that the sharp censure of individual players has not only been misdirected, but where it was originally called for it has been painfully overdone. The players have seemed to recognize the justice of much that has been said, and have taken it to heart. The result is that they have a double end in view on Saturday, and whether they win or lose in Philadelphia they can be counted on to play a fierce game to the end.



THE PASSING SHOW

A Glance at Theatricals in Gotham Town.

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New York, Nov. 20.—Cissy Fitzgerald has once more gone bounding over the country in "The Foundling." This time her tour is under the direction of Will A. McConnell, the irrepressible and astute manager who has handled everybody from Robert Downing to Richard Mansfield. Cissy is going to play a short season only and of one night stands. I think she will make some money.

Speaking of McConnell, two years ago he was the bitterest enemy of the Hayman-Frohman-Nixon-Zimmerman syndicate in America. He has changed his mind, though, and in talking to me the other day said:

"Well, I've come to the conclusion that the theatrical syndicate is a good thing. When it was first organized I kicked harder than any seven men on Broadway, but in the last six months I have had a whole lot of dealings with the gentlemen who hold the reins, and I've found them to be fair, square and above board in all their dealings. Of course Mr. Frohman, Mr. Hayman and the rest are not in the theatrical business for their health; if so, they'd have doctors at their bedside every moment.

"They have got the system of booking down to a nicety, and they do not play one farce comedy against another, nor a comic opera against a lyric organization. No. They keep them separate and apart and keep their theaters booked up. They do not string people into playing bad territory just to fill time. They tell you the truth, and you do not have to accept their terms or contracts. Traveling managers are getting a run for their money.

"The office of the syndicate in New York is alive to the fact that there are several drones running theaters throughout the country, but as soon as they sign with a combination the local managers have got to get a move on and clean up their houses and advertise the attractions both in the newspapers and on the walls to the limit.

"As I said before, I would rather do business with one man than to go against local managers, whose only excuse for being in the business is that their fathers were in it before them."

But Cissy Fitzgerald and Will A. McConnell are not the only comets on the New York theatrical horizon. There are others. Of course you have heard something about Anna Held dropping out of the cast of "La Poupee" and into a lawsuit and of Hammerstein's failure. That fellow Hammerstein is never happy unless he's in court either as a defendant or prosecutor. Oscar thought that Anna was overtaxing herself, so without consulting her he put on an understudy for a matinee performance. Anna rebelled, and Florence Ziegfeld, Jr., her manager, instantly severed all connection with the volatile ruler of Olympia. And then Oscar made an assignment and closed his doors.

Ziegfeld is a young but very shrewd business man, with a cool head and a daring mind. If he concludes one of these days that he wishes to do something besides confine himself to one attraction, you will see without very much delay that he is a strong, self reliant and able player in the game of theatrical management. As for Hammerstein, he is one of the men you cannot resist admiring for his achievements, his independence of spirit and his tireless and many sided genius. Nor can you avoid being drawn to him by ties of friendship when you are made acquainted with his kindness of heart, the boyish simplicity of his character and the quick responsiveness of his sympathy.

Just what will become of "La Poupee" it is difficult at this moment to foretell. There are several people who think they would like to buy it, and I presume Hammerstein, whose experience with it has been so unhappy, would be quite willing to sell it at a fair price. Miss Held, of course, is all right so far as her season is concerned. She is under contract to Ziegfeld, who pays her a fixed weekly salary and takes the chance of making a profit by securing larger terms than he gives. The vaudeville theaters were all glad enough to meet his price for her services the moment they learned she was out with Hammerstein, but Ziegfeld put her into Koster & Bial's, probably to show the difference between Anna and Merode and possibly to spite Hammerstein.

Then there was the Banda Rossa. Following Miss Held's lead, it deserted the Messrs. Carl and Theodore Rosenfeld and on Sunday, Oct. 31, at the Metropolitan Opera House, went on a strike, and the audience had to be dismissed. Oh, things are getting very warm in the old town!

"The Telephone Girl" will not be produced until Dec. 6 after all. The opening performances, however, will be given on that date in Washington, as originally designed. The postponement is occasioned by the fact that Gustave Kerker is composing a practically new score, and Hugh Morton is making extensive changes in the libretto. None of the original French lyrics and very little of the music will be used. Louis Mann and Clara Lipman, who are to play the two most important characters in the production, will probably remain with "The Girl From Paris" until the end of Thanksgiving week.

Julia Arthur in "A Lady of Quality" appears to have settled down to a substantial success at Wallack's. Maude Adams has had to move down to the Garrick in order to permit John Drew to occupy the stage of the Empire. "A Stranger In New York" has gone to Hoyt's, "Miss Francis of Yale" has followed "The First Born" at the Manhattan, and May Irwin is getting ready to invade the Bijou. Richard Mansfield, Sol Smith Russell and Nat Goodwin are all doing well.

By the way, speaking of Nat, Hugh Morton says: "A correspondent writes to me to say that Miss Maxine Elliott, whose beauty takes rank with the Washington arch and Grant's tomb, was on one occasion seen here on the stage in untrammeled and unscreened glory. It was in the ill fated 'Voyage of Suzette,' I am assured, and the revelation of the play and of the Maxine privacies cost Mr. T. Henry French the musical sum of $65,000. I think that I recall 'The Voyage of Suzette;' but, strangely enough, I do not recall what must have been the great feature of the show. Can it be that that feature was so unimpressive that it readily faded from the memory? I can hardly credit the idea. Miss Elliott, dressed in what is termed a 'boy's costume'—presumably because a boy never wears anything like it—must have rested upon the memory like the vision of Mont Blanc or the grandeur of the Chicago fair."

It surely was another Elliott that was in "The Voyage of Suzette," or if it was the same then her immaturity interfered with the value of her matinee, and she was not then what a later diet of oatmeal and cream and rose leaves has made her. I continue to want to see her as Romeo. If she is recorded in the minds of some men as she is in my correspondent's mind, as lacking the more delicious essentials of great beauty, all the more is it desirable that she should seek to efface this impression by divulging the truth in the full glare of the limelight. Let it be at a matinee, when we can all be there and dine afterward at the Waldorf. If there is time to communicate, I know of a party of Americans now in Venice who would like to come home and look upon the mysterious extremes of Maxine's extremities. I await information from her managers. May I cable to the people in Venice?

FRANK CONNELLY.

Popular Songs Short Lived.

Perhaps not one of the songs of the moment will live, though the rising generation will more or less dimly remember them always. Each one of them is a kind of reminder of some tune that went before it, and it will be the fittest, the really most original and salient of the resembling tunes which will be the one to live. The succession of tunes remaining in any one's recollection is like the succession of human acquaintances. Some stand out boldly and ineffaceably in the memory, having something, either in their own quality or in our sympathy with them, to command our thoughts and hold our sense; others, meaning not much to us, soon slip their moorings in our souls and drift out to the sea of oblivion. We take up a friend as we pick up a tune, because other people we know are taking him up, but in due time if he does not accord with our own internal harmonies he is forgotten.

WHO THEY ARE.

Some Well Known Theatrical People Up to Date.

For the benefit of the stage door Johnnies, the following information has been especially compiled. The list, however, is only up to date, and many changes will undoubtedly occur before it possibly can be revised. Ladies of the stage believe implicitly in marriage. They like to marry early and often:

A.

Maude Adams is a daughter of Annie Adams.

Louise Allen is Mrs. Willie Collier.

Sydney Armstrong is Mrs. W. G. Smythe.

Minnie Ashley is the wife of Will Sheldon.

Ramie Austin is Miss Dora Davidson.

B.

Frankie Bailey was the wife of Colonel McLowee.

Maud Banks is the daughter of the late General N. P. Banks.

Jessie Bartlett is the wife of Will J. Davis, manager of the Columbia theater, Chicago.

Adele Belgardi's real name is Levy.

Sarah Bernhardt is Mme. Damala.

Helen Bertram is the wife of E. J. Henley.

Laura Biggar is Mrs. Burt Haverly.

Eugenia Blair is the wife of Robert Downing.

Bessie Bonehill is the wife of W. R. Seeley.

Marie Burroughs is the wife of Louis Massen.

Lillian Burkhardt is Mrs. Charles Dickson.

Ellen Burg is the wife of Robert Edeson.

C.

Beatrice Cameron is Mrs. Richard Mansfield.

Georgia Cayvan's real name is Cavanaugh.

Blanche Chapman is Mrs. Henry Ford.

Gertrude Clarke is the wife of Henry Griffin, the jockey.

Kate Claxton is Mrs. Charles Stevenson.

Mme. Cottrelly is a Mrs. Wilson.

Phoebe Coyne is the wife of Frank Smithson.

Isabelle Coe is the wife of Frank McKee, manager of Hoyt's New York theater.

Rose Coghlan is the wife of John T. Sullivan.

Elvia Croix is Mrs. Thomas Q. Seabrooke.

Henrietta Crossman was Mrs. Sedley Brown.

D.

Camille d'Arville is the wife of George Wilson, an acrobat.

Fanny Davenport is Mrs. Melbourne McDowell.

Hattie Delaro was Mrs. Barnes.

Josie de Witt is the wife of Billy West.

Minerva Dorr is the wife of Frank Norcross.

Marie Dressler is Mrs. George F. Hopper.

E.

Mme. Eames is Mrs. Julian Story.

Virginia Earle is the wife of Frank Lawton, the whistler.

Louise Eising is the wife of Cyril Scott.

Effie Elisler is Mrs. Frank Weston.

Marie Engel was Augustare Amberg.

Alice Evans is Mrs. Wilton Lackaye.

F.

Mabel Fenton is the wife of Charles Ross.

Selena Fetter is the wife of Edwin Royle, the playwright.

Lily Fox is Mrs. Nat Roth.

Helen French, one of the twin sisters French, is the widow of Old Hoss Bill Hocy.

Minnie French is the wife of Charles E. Evans, manager of the Herald Square theater.

G.

Minna Gale is Mrs. A. C. Haynes, and retired.

Lottie Gilson was Mrs. Sam Ryan.

Bettina Girard has had the legal right to call herself Mrs. Paddleford and Mrs. John Rafael and is the daughter of General Ordway, U. S. A.

Marian Giroux is Mrs. W. H. Post.

Amelia Glover is the wife of John Russell.

Carrie Godfrey was Mrs. W. H. Thompson, the manager.

H.

Jane Hading is Mme. Victor Koenig.

Pauline Hall's maiden name was Ida Jeffries is Mrs. Goodfriend.

Laura Joyce is Mrs. Digby Bell.

Jennie Joyce is the wife of Phil Daly, Jr.

L.

Clara Lane is the wife of J. K. Murray.

Lily Langtry is the Princess Esterhazy (so they say).

Clara Lipman is the wife of Louis Mann.

Cissy Loftus is Mrs. Justin McCarthy.

M.

Minnie Maddern is Mrs. Harrison Grey Fiske.

Marion Manola is the wife of John Mason.

Pauline Markham is Mrs. Randolph Murray.

Julia Marlowe is Mrs. Robert Taber.

Emma Marsh is Mrs. W. J. Black.

Sadie Martinot is the wife of Max Figman.

Margaret Mather was Mrs. Pabst, the wife of the millionaire Milwaukee brewer.

Nelly McHenry is Mrs. John Webster.

Carrie Merrilles is the wife of Matthew C. Woodward.

Daisy Meyer, who took a lot of nicknames in London, is Mrs. James Slocum.

Lena Merville is getting a divorce from Husband A. L. Levi or Leverling.

Maggie Mitchell is Mrs. Charles Abbott.

Caroline Miskel is Mrs. Charles H. Hoyt.

Minie Modjeska is the Countess Bozenta Chlapersk.

Laura Moore is Mrs. Snyder of Washington.

Clara Morris is the wife of C. F. Harriot.

Ida Mulle was Mrs. Ben Tuthill.

N.

May Newman is Mrs. Harry Kennedy, manager of the Star theater, Brooklyn.

O.

Annie O'Neil is Mrs. Henry C. Miner.

P.

Minnie Palmer was the wife of "Yours Merrily," John Rogers.

Adelina Patti is the wife of Nicolini and living at her castle in Wales.

Grace Pedley was at one time the wife of E. J. Henley.

Adelaide Prince is the wife of Creston Clarke, the tragedian.

Lilly Post is the wife of Will H. Morton.

R.

Mrs. McKee Rankin was Kitty Blanchard, one of the original sisters in "The Two Orphans."

Lizzie Raymond is Mrs. Sam Bernard.

Frankie Raymond is the wife of the Chicago manager, David Henderson.

Zelma Rawlston is Mrs. Barney Ferguson.

Ada Rehan's real name is Crehan.

Babette Rodney is Mrs. George Bowles.

Lillian Russell is now Mrs. Perrugini.

Jeannette St. Henry was Mrs. John Hiller.

Marie Stone is the wife of W. H. MacDonald of the Bostonians.

T.

Cora Tanner recently got a divorce from Colonel Sinn of Brooklyn.

Grace Thorne is the wife of Frazer Coulter.

Rella Thorne is Mrs. Herman Perlet.

Odette Tyler is the wife of Dr. Sheppard.

U.

Isabelle Urquhardt is known in private life as Mrs. Guy Standing.

V.

Theresa Vaughn is the widow of William Mestayer.

W.

May Waldron is Mrs. Stuart Robson.

Lizzie Webster is Mrs. Nunnemacher, wife of a Milwaukee brewer.

Millie Willson's real name is Leslie.

Jeannie Winston was Mrs. Arthur Bell.

Y.

Jennie Yeamans was Mrs. Charles B. Dillingham.

Lydia Yeamans is the wife of Fred Titus.

May Yohe was Mrs. Jack Mason, Mrs. Tom Williams and is Lady Francis Hope.

Theatricals In the Country.

Although the old fashioned country theater, with its cramped auditorium, its ridiculous little stage and its general discomfort, is fast giving way to the pretentious opera house on the metropolitan plan, there are many of the archaic type of country theaters still in existence in towns within a few hours' ride of New York city.

An actor who had just returned to New York from a tour of one night stands in the interior said recently:

"When we struck the historic town of Slumpsville, where the British and the Continental armies had one of their severest arguments more than a hundred years ago, I walked with the manager to the 'opera house.' The first thing that made me quake was the fact that the theater was on the third floor, at the head of a breakneck flight of stairs.

"'One of the good, old fashioned kind, eh?' I remarked. 'We cannot possibly put any scenery in here.'

"'No,' answered the manager, 'but we will have it brought to the front of the theater on the wagons, as an evidence of good faith' (which, by the way, is a common thing for managers to do, under the circumstances, thereby laying the responsibility for its not being used on the local manager).

"The ceiling was not more than 12 feet high, and as the stage was about two feet higher than the floor of the hall, of course there was only ten feet there. The 'border lights' consisted of one hanging coal oil lamp. The footlights were half a dozen coal oil lamps of various shapes, with chimneys at all kinds of agonizing angles, while in the place of honor in the center of the row was a rakish looking dark lantern, the kind that burglars use, with its reflector turned full upon the stage. The effect of that dark lantern throwing its glow on the leading lady's feet as she called down the justice of heaven on the villain that night was weirdly impressive. There were no dressing rooms. The men changed their costumes behind a sheet on one side of the stage, and the ladies took refuge behind a piece of scenery on the other.

"How did the show go? Splendidly. The people of Slumpsville were used to their theater, and even the gaudy lamp hanging from the sky (for the action of the play all took place out of doors in the country) did not disturb them in the least. It was an astronomical vagary that they had come to look upon as eminently the proper thing.

"That is the town in which I nearly starved to death," continued the actor. "I got up too late for breakfast, about half past 8, and the dining room door at the hotel was closed and locked. It could not possibly be opened till dinner time, the landlord told me, and when I said that I must have a cup of coffee or die, he advised me to go down the street to the one restaurant of the place and see what I could do. I went. The restaurant keeper told me that he had not had a call for a cup of coffee for six months, and probably would not have another for a year. So I had to wait till we got to the next town, Saratoga, about 2 o'clock in the afternoon. If the landlord of the hotel there had not fed me, I believe I should have killed him."

A Man of Many Parts.

Frederic Lemaitre, the famous actor, was in the habit of rehearsing new parts in the course of his everyday life. Once, when traveling in a crowded mail coach, he took it into his head to practice the part of a sick man, in which he was shortly to appear. He suddenly turned pale, his arms hung loose by his sides, he writhed and groaned as if in agony. His fellow passengers were seized with a panic, for they thought he had an attack of cholera. The coach was stopped, and they were about to send for the doctor, when Lemaitre, delighted with the result, sat up erect in his place and reassured the company.

On another occasion he nearly came to grief. Entering the Cafe des Varietes with the step and bearing of a snob and a bully, he looked round with an air of contempt at all the guests and finally took a seat at a table where sat a young officer with his wife. Here his demeanor became so defiant and insolent that the other customers called for the landlord and demanded the expulsion of the impudent fellow. The young officer sprang upon him in a rage and demanded an explanation. Lemaitre suddenly changed his countenance. The brazen faced bully was transformed into a driveling idiot, with a clownish grin, who appeared all unconscious of what he had done. The officer shrugged his shoulders, and then Lemaitre, himself again, took a seat, ordered coffee and read the newspapers as if nothing had happened.

A COMING PLAYWRIGHT.

GEORGE H. BROADHURST.

This is a portrait of George H. Broadhurst, the former theatrical manager whose farces "The Wrong Mr. Wright" and "What Happened to Jones" have made decided hits in New York and elsewhere. Mr. Broadhurst is a rapid writer, having written "The Wrong Mr. Wright" in 32 days. On the whole, it took just 44 days for writing, rehearsing and first presentation.

Schmidtgall. She is the wife of George McClellan, manager of the Casino.

Beatrice Hamilton is the wife of Teddy Peiper.

Nelly Hawthorne is Mrs. Robert Vernon.

Lola Hawthorne is Mrs. R. J. Rodriguez.

Bijou Heron is the wife of Henry F. Miller.

May Haward is the wife of Harry Morris.

J.

Vernona Jarbeau is Mrs. Jeff Bernstein. She has been Mrs. Teddy Solomon and Mrs. Dave Braham.

S.

Saharet, the dancer, is the wife of Ike Rose.

Mrs. John B. Schoeffel was Agnes Booth, whose maiden name was Rookes.

Minnie Seligman is Mrs. Robert Cutting.

Cheridah Simpson is getting a divorce from W. H. Armstrong.

Amelia Somerville is getting a divorce from Fred Runnells.

Marie Stewart is the wife of Joseph Gaites.

THE ACTOR'S WOES

Stage Life Is Not One of Unbroken Pleasure.

Actors who spend most of their time on the road usually welcome the end of the season which takes them back to the city. It is equally true, however, that with the coming on of the fall they become restless, and the nomadic instinct shows itself. The average actor will state in all seriousness that if the opportunity were his he would settle down contentedly in a little vine covered cottage and enjoy life peacefully at the domestic hearth. His intentions may be good enough and his statement made in good faith, but only the minority are contented with a return to private life, and even those who go to New York for their summer's vacation show signs of restlessness as the theatrical season approaches.

It is not uncommon for persons in conversation with actors to express envy at the latter's opportunities for "seeing the world," and people whose chances to travel have been limited look upon this feature of theatrical life as one of its principal charms.

It is true that the actor, if he be a lover of nature or a seeker after curious byways and odd corners, can find entertainment for years, but the average individual sees little, and by the time he has made five or six tours of the principal cities and an equal number of trips to California traveling has ceased to be a novelty. Its discomforts more than equalize its pleasures. The only wonder is that the player does not welcome an opportunity to settle down, which he usually does if a professional opportunity offers itself in New York.

The reason is partially explained by the fact that the actor becomes centered in himself and his profession. It is difficult for him to make new and permanent ties in the average city or town, but he knows that the Rialto will always present familiar faces and opportunities for conversation.

In small towns an actor is looked upon as something of a "freak," and the village merchants and their clerks congregate to see the "show folk" or "the troop" as they come from the depot. Even in New York it is no uncommon thing for the small boys to gather at the stage door to see "the teater blokie" as he passes in or out, and the chappie and the Johnnie exist in every place that boasts a building with the rain faded sign of "Opera House." This latter class really give little trouble and do not cut the figure in the lives of actresses which comic papers and new journalism would have us believe. As a rule they are no more offensive than other individuals with staring proclivities.

A more serious danger to the actor's peace of mind is the selection of a hotel in each new town. The stars and leading people usually go to the most popular one in the city. But it is a more serious matter with the greatest run of actors, who are obliged to figure their expenses, provide for a family or lay aside the sum necessary to tide them through the summer of a period of idleness. In almost every large city there are several hotels which cater specially to actors. Here board and lodging is provided at prices varying from $7 to $12 per week. The better hotels always make a reduction for players, and a $3 rate is usually reduced to $2.50 or $2. In these cases, however, the actors are given inferior rooms, though such hotels as the New Planters in St. Louis and the Dennison in Indianapolis are exceptions. The excuse offered by the average hotel proprietor for the discrimination is that the actors prefer to be away from the other guests, as they keep later hours and feel less constraint if they are placed in isolated quarters. The actor is frequently tempted to inquire if isolation can justly be defined to include lack of fuel and poor gas.

There are also in every city one or more "theatrical boarding houses," where players "much do congregate" and where rooms and lodging are supplied from $5 a week upward. These places are chiefly remarkable for the similarity of their furnishings and general appearance. There is always a parlor with red plush furniture and a consumptive piano which rattles in the chest notes. There is likewise always a retired soubrette, who has taken up stenography to pass away her time until she has a call to create an important part. The soubrette always insists on singing at unearthly hours, but her chest notes do not rattle for the reason that her register is pitched in too high a key. They are the kind of notes which penetrate an oaken door as successfully as the Roentgen ray. The mantelpiece in the theatrical boarding house parlor is decorated with photographs of the leading actors, who have patronized it, and the center table holds an album wherein are displayed photographs of actors who have appropriately inscribed them to the divinity of the boarding house. In justice to some of the proprietors of these establishments it may be said, however, that what they lack in good taste they make up for in goodness of heart, and many an unpaid board bill bears witness to the generosity of the theatrical landlady who has allowed a luckless player to depart in peace. But there exists also obstinate landladies, whose hardness of heart is attested by attics full of trunks, wherein the wealth of foreign potentates, the king's crown and the queen's jewels, fair Ophelia's flaxen locks and Cæsar's robe of state repose in oblivion for the security of an unpaid score.

The actor's hardships on the road are by no means confined to his hotels. The theater dressing rooms are a source of constant annoyance and discomfort. While serious agitation of the question has brought about reforms in some cities it yet remains that in many places the dressing rooms are underground, ventilation is unthought of, and bare floors and damp walls prevail. In winter the rooms are cold and cheerless, and in summer the temperature is stifling.

Shakespeare in Germany.

Germany sees on the average more of Shakespeare than we do in the United States, and if not on the average so well acted as they are in this country, the productions are much more careful. Now Possart is to give a Shakespeare festival next summer at Munich, when 60 performances of Shakespearean plays will be given. Beerbohm Tree is going to Berlin this winter to act Hamlet and Falstaff. He will play in English.

THEATRICAL COMMENT.

John Le Manning, an actor who made a specialty of impersonating a hayseed in the audience, died recently at Dorchester, Mass. He traveled last season with Bancroft, the magician, and it was his business to sit in the audience dressed as a farmer and help on the show by a display of wonder and amazement. He was to have gone out in the same way with Henry E. Dixey.

Marie Dressler, the actress who is playing Miss May Irwin's part in "Courted Into Court," is a very sick woman, and it is doubtful if she will be able to play much longer. She has already tendered her resignation to Messrs. Rich and Harris, who have demurred about accepting it, but Miss Dressler insists that she must rest and that they must find some one to take her place.

Antoine is still at the task of trying to make his Theatre Libre scheme permanent. He has just commenced another season and revived two of the organization's successful efforts of past seasons. He will continue to give the plays of foreign writers, and no more than Lugue-Poe will he consent to limit the repertory to the works of French authors.

New York will have to struggle along with an independent theater. Charles B. Cochran has abandoned his scheme of establishing an enterprise of that sort. The capitalist, a Boston man, who had promised to back the enterprise financially, withdrew, and Mr. Cochran was unable to secure the necessary funds elsewhere.

"The Devil's Disciple," Bernard Shaw's play, has apparently pleased New York.

KETCHAM'S CASE

The Banker's Marriage Still Talked of.

IN CHICAGO AND CURIOSITY AS TO GROOM.

Walkup Played a Game of Ketcham.

Chicago, Nov. 19.—Statements made by Tom Riley, the Milwaukee hackman who drove Mrs. Walkup to Rev. J. P. Roberts' house to be inarried on the morning of Sept. 24 last, tend to strengthen the claim of Ketcham's relatives that he was not the groom on that occasion. According to Riley's story, which is corroborated by two women, the woman with the dark hair married a man much shorter than she is. Riley describes the groom as a little fellow, a foot shorter than the woman. Miss Miersch, who witnessed the ceremony, declared that the man was much shorter than the woman. Ketcham was five feet 10 inches, while Mabel Wallace Walkup is not more than five feet six. Thus there is a difference of nearly a foot in size.

It is almost certain, however, that Kellar, the butler, was not substituted for Ketcham. All agree that the principal in the secret nuptials was really a very sick man. His face was thin, drawn and haggard. Kellar looks well and healthy. Further, from all available information the butler remained behind at the Plankton House during the ceremony. It was not until all was over and the couple had been driven to the depot that he left the hotel. He settled the bill for "A. B. Young, wife and servant, Boston," as the trio appeared upon the register.

Whoever was the groom, he was apparently completely and wholly in the power of the woman. The evidence of Riley as to Ketcham's actions, if it were he, furnish all the elements for a story of hypnotism. The man seemed dazed and oblivious to everything. Friends of the dead clubman have little hope of being able to prove that Kellar or any other man took the place of Ketcham in the marriage ceremony. According to Attorney Purcell the main contention will be that Mr. Ketcham was of unsound mind.

NO CAUSE FOR ALARM.

New Bedford, Mass., Nov. 19.—Captain David F. Devoll, master of steam whaler William Baylies, who has arrived in the city, does not think there is any cause for alarm as to the safety of the whalemen ice-bound in the Arctic. He says the Belvedere, Orca, Jesse H. Freeman and Rosario are not in an exposed position. In company with the Alexander they have started west and gone into the gut, just east of Point Barrow. If the masters of the ships see that the ice is not liable to break up they can easily make the lagoon, which opens out from the gut, and there they will be as safe as though they were at Herschel Island.

In regard to a shortage of provisions on the imperilled ships, he says that there is no cause for alarm, for the provisions on board the Freeman, Orca and Belvedere will be sufficient with care and judgment to provide for the men until next summer. The greatest trouble, Captain Devoll thinks, will come from the sailors who are liable to be crazed over the Klondyke gold discoveries, and any attempt of desertion without means of reaching the Yukon will result in loss of life to the men who attempt it.

MUNICIPAL ELECTION SLATES.

Fall River, Mass., Nov. 19.—Last night the Republican mayoralty convention chose Dr. A. M. Jackson, now president of the council and a prominent G. A. R. man, as the nominee, by acclamation. There were speeches by Dr. Jackson, Mayor Greere and ex-Congressman R. T. Davis. Leontine Lincoln, Mary E. Hyde and Hannah F. Osborn were nominated for the school committee.

Waltham, Mass., Nov. 19.—In the Republican caucuses in this city last night Charles P. Bond won in every ward for the nomination for mayor.

Springfield, Mass., Nov. 19.—The Republican caucuses resulted in a victory for Mayor Henry S. Dickinson over ex-Representative Harvey. Dickinson carried every ward except the seventh.

Lawrence, Mass., Nov. 19.—The Democratic mayoralty and aldermanic convention was held last night. The following ticket was nominated: For mayor, James E. Donoghue; aldermen, William F. King, ward 1; C. F. Lynch, ward 2; Lewis Matters, ward 3; N. F. Milville, ward 4; Joseph Sheehan, ward 5, and Patrick O'Brien, ward 6.

WOMAN'S TRIAL FOR MURDER.

Cayuga, Ont., Nov. 19.—The trial of Olive Sternaman, charged with murdering her husband by administering arsenic, is going on rapidly, the court sitting until late at night. J. E. Dowe of Buffalo, an insurance agent, testified that shortly after Sternaman's death he met Mrs. Sternaman, who had asked him to say nothing about an insurance policy of $1000 on her husband's life, giving her reason for the request that her husband's people would take the money from her.

A letter written by Sternaman just before his death and addressed to "whom it may concern" was read. In this letter Sternaman said that he had been subject to "peculiar attacks," and that in case of death he did not want anyone to hold his wife responsible for his decease. The prosecution claim that Mrs. Sternaman caused the writing of this letter to shield herself after her husband's death, and at the time of its writing no one had mentioned the possibility of Sternaman's death having been brought about by foul means.

SAFETY DEVICES ON CARS.

Washington, Nov. 19.—The inter-state commerce commission desires to correct a recently published statement that only the New York Central and Chicago Burlington and Quincy railroads are fully equipped with safety appliances. Out of 436 roads that have reported to the commission in the matter of safety appliances, 75 roads, or 17.20 per cent, will be equipped with automatic couplers Jan. 1, 1898. Out of 435 roads, 60, or 14 per cent, will be equipped with train brakes by the same period, and out of 517 roads 96 per cent, or almost all, will be provided with power driving wheel brakes on locomotives.

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MORE INDICTED

Fall River Boodlers in Hard Luck.

A MILL WRECKER AMONG THE THE NUMBER.

With Several Officials of Both Cities.

Taunton, Mass., Nov. 19.—Never in the history of the grand jury system in Bristol county has the work of a jury been more sensational than the findings of the body which has just concluded its deliberations for the November term of the superior court. New Bedford and Fall River furnished the causes, the former with its mill wrecking episode and the border city with its revelations of apparent contempt for law and righteousness as illustrated by the misuse of official position.

Two members of the common council of Fall River have been indicted for alleged connection with acts of bribery. Wednesday one of the largest of the liquor dealers in the same city was arraigned on two charges of attempted bribery. The sensation which his arrest had occasioned had barely developed when it was intensified by the appearance in the courtroom of County Commissioner Durfee and Walter J. D. Bullock, the latter an ex-member of the legislature and well known at the state house. Durfee pleaded not guilty to an indictment charging him with unlawfully participating in contracts with the commissioners of Bristol county while he was a member of the commission. He was held in $500 bail. Bullock was charged with offering a bribe to Councilman McCarthy to induce him to vote for Hale Remington against James Langford as assistant chief of the fire department. Bail of $1000 was ordered. It is felt that these are only the beginning of a series of exposures of alleged wrongdoing in the city of sensations in this county.

PIGS AS LIFESAVERS.

San Francisco, Nov. 19.—The following advices from Australia were brought by the steamer Mariposa which arrived from Sydney, via Honolulu: At the Adelaide city police court, Oct. 18, W. Martin, the American cyclist, was sentenced to 14 days' imprisonment with hard labor for having assaulted F. P. Ridley a few days earlier. The bench refused to impose a fine.

At midnight Oct. 16 the Illawarra company's steamer Kamuruaka, one of the best known vessels on the coast, while on the voyage from Eden to Sydney, struck upon a rock about 150 yards from shore at a point known as Pedro reef. The passengers were all in their berths at the time, but fortunately the sea was calm and all were rescued by means of a traveling cage. In the absence of rockets lines were taken ashore by several pigs, which swam ashore when thrown overboard with signal halyards attached to their hind legs. The vessel was a total loss.

ELECTION AT COSTA RICA.

Washington, Nov. 19.—According to official information received at the legation of Costa Rica at Washington, the primary presidential election for the next period, 1898-1902, was held on the 14th, 15th and 16th amid order and tranquility. There were two parties, the Civilist and the Republican. The vote was the largest ever taken in Costa Rica, and the Civilists, with President Yglesias as a candidate for re-election, obtained a majority of over 23,000 votes.

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FAREWELL TO HER WHEEL.

New York, Nov. 19.—At the city hall yesterday Alderman Wund united in marriage John Cunningham of this city and Miss Anna Lundawall. Behind the wedding lurks a romance. The bride left New Canaan, Conn., on her bicycle Wednesday and rode every inch of the way to New York. She went to friends in this city, where she spent the night. Near morning she donned her bicycle costume and rode down to the city hall.

John Cunningham is the family coachman of John R. Downey, the millionaire builder of the Astor estates. Downey has a country place at New Canaan. When the family left town last May, Cunningham was taken along. Mrs. Downey needed a maid, and Anna Lundawall secured the place. There were difficulties in the way of a marriage. Jack hates bicycles, while Anna loves them. Anna agreed to give up her wheel on the day of her wedding, but she decided to bid farewell to her wheel by riding from New Canaan to this place. After the wedding the wheel was abandoned.

WIRE THIEVES SCARED.

Providence, Nov. 19.—An attempt to steal a lot of copper wire from the factory of the American electrical works at Phillipsdale was frustrated by the watchman, Ellery Emerson. He believes that three men were concerned in the attempt, although he saw but two. He fired several shots after them, and one of the bullets, he thinks, struck a burglar. The men had several bags ready to fill with copper wire when they were discovered.

HAD MONEY LAVISHED ON HER.

New York, Nov. 19.—Mary Kellard, who gained notoriety in connection with the famous case of Barbara Aub, is on trial on a charge of forgery preferred by Mrs. Mary D. Spencer, who accuses her of obtaining $750 from her on two forged notes purporting to be signed by Virginie Wood, the wife of W. A. Wood. Wood, who was at one time a millionaire, lavished money on Miss Kellard. Wood is now an inmate of the Middletown asylum. He may be introduced as a witness.

WATCHING ARMOUR'S RESIDENCE.

Chicago, Nov. 19.—Two policemen have been detailed to guard the residence of P. D. Armour. The reason for the precaution is a rumor from Minneapolis that a speculator who lost money in wheat has gone insane and left Minneapolis with the avowed purpose of killing Armour.

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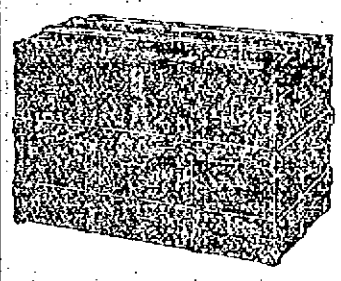

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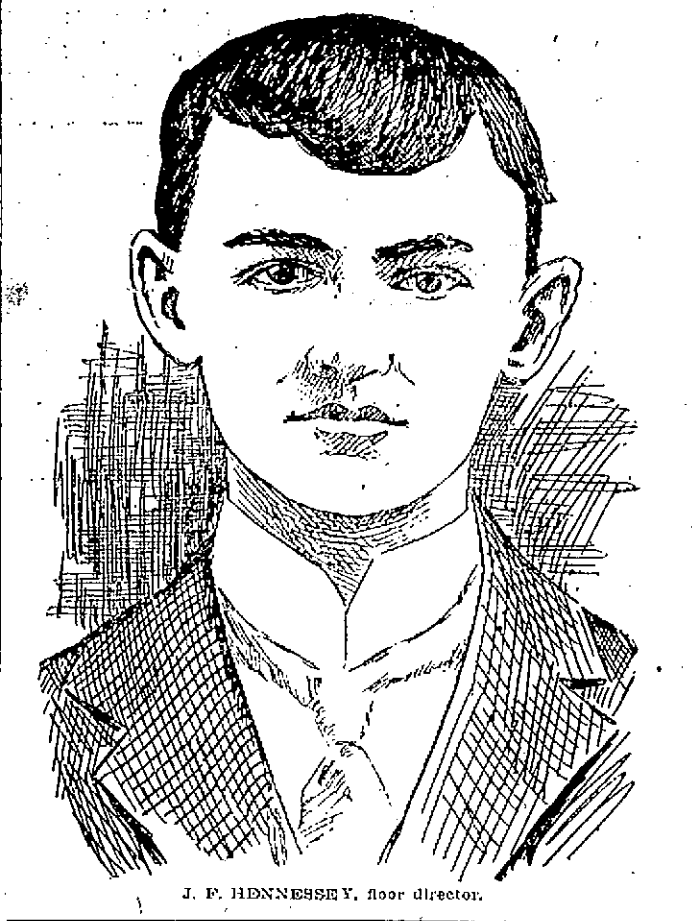

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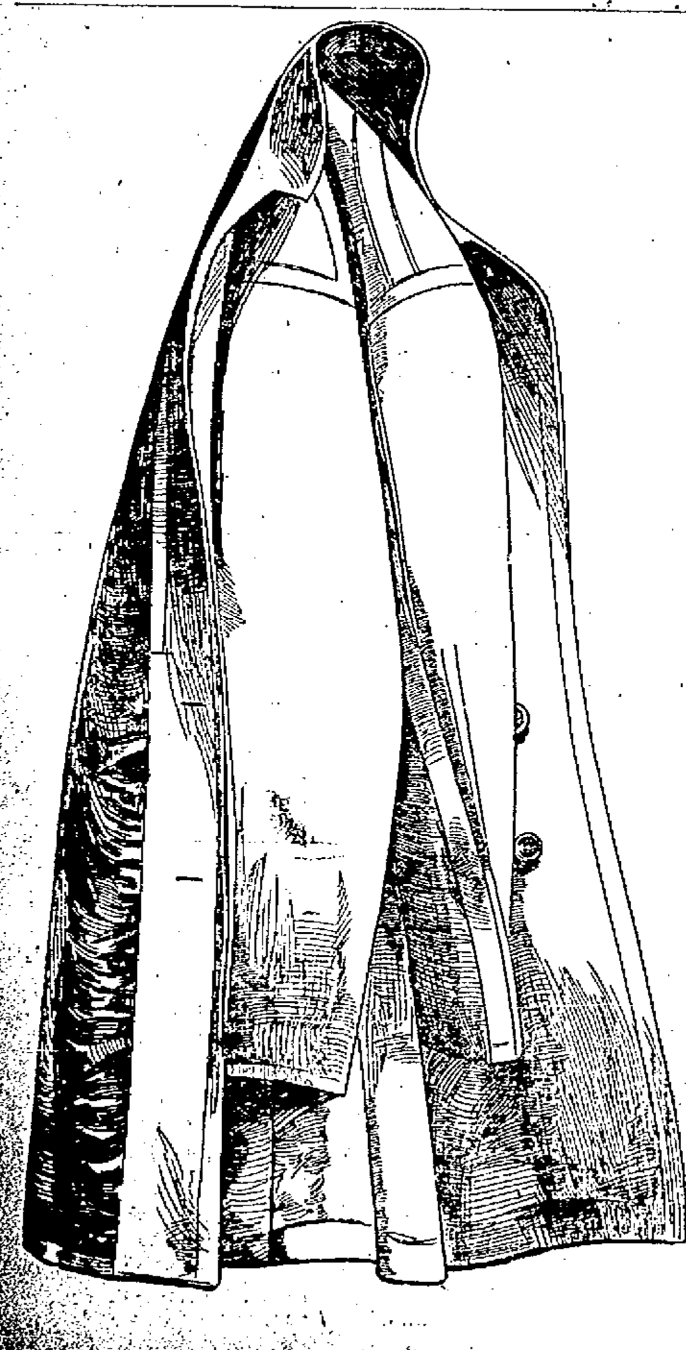

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JOLLY AND FREE

The Street Railroad Men Danced With Glee.

NO TRANSFERS TO PUNCH—NO STREETS TO CALL.

They Forgot All Their Cares at Their Annual Ball.

For once in a long time, the street railway employes from starter to spare man, threw their cares to the winds and enjoyed life to their heart's content. The motorman forgot his switches, the conductor his transfers, the construction man his sledge and all tackled the dance with the proper spirit, making the third annual concert and ball of the Lowell& Suburban Street Railroad Employes' Relief association a most successful and enjoyable affair.

This association was formed about two years ago and its object is to give financial relief to members who may be incapacitated from work by illness

CHARLES D. WEST, President L. S. Relief Association.

or accident. Since its beginning, it has paid out over $2000, the amount per week being $6. Its officers are: President, Charles D. West; vice president, J. K. Winchester; treasurer, Col. Percy Parker; physician, Dr. Joe V. Meigs.

But the ball. It was a most delightful affair. Some would look for a larger crowd, but there were enough, and at no time was the floor crowded, as is often the case at such events.

In honor of the affair the hall was tastefully decorated by Charles F. Young, the well known decorator. The prevailing colors were pink, nile green, and white. The proscenium and boxes were very tastefully bedecked with bunting, gracefully arrayed, while the windows and bare spots were hidden by the attractive bunting and the stage was converted into a floral bower abounding in tropical plants and graceful ferns, the floral work being most artistic and furnished gratuitously by James McManiman, the well known florist of the Square. From behind the leafy ledge floated the exquisite strains of the dance music, rendered by Hibbard's orchestra, which assisted in the concert at the opening of the festivities, the program being as follows:

March, "Second Regiment Conn. N. G." ..... Reaves
Overture, "The Two Hussars," Doppler
Solo, selected .....
Miss Louise McLaughlin.
Zylophone solo, "On Time Polka" ..... Stobbe
Mr. Henri Dufresne.
Reading, "Minuet" .....
Marguerite M. Elvin.
Solo, "Asthore" ..... Protersie
Mr. James E. Donnilley.
Finale, "The Trolley Party,".. Hibbard
Emil C. Lavigueur, director; Joseph H. Hibbard, prompter.

At the conclusion of the concert, Joe Hibbard, who officiated as starter, sounded two bells on a street car gong which was in use during the evening, and the march was begun. It was led by Floor Director William A. Hayes, escorting Miss Rose Crane, followed by Charles D. West and Miss Nellie Fairgraves of Lawrence, Mr. M. J. Manning and Miss Josie O'Brien, F. J. Conroy and Miss Moore, John S. Rourke and wife, Andrew C. Jones and Miss Baker, John McDonald and lady and about 150 couples. The march was finely executed and made a pretty sight, many of the ladies wearing elaborate toilettes.

After the march, the order consisting of 24 well selected numbers was entered upon and was enjoyed by a large

WM. A. HAYES, floor director.

number. At midnight an intermission of half an hour was taken during which time a very palatable supper was served in the Merrimack House. After supper the remainder of the order was gone through and shortly after two o'clock the last trip around the floor was made and trolleys were put on the wires that lead toward home.

There were many prominent guests of the association present and foremost among them was Florence O'Donoghue, formerly starter of the Lowell & Suburban, but now superintendent of the Nashua line. There were also present Superintendent Bagley, Directors Brennan, Fels and Tucke, and railroad men from Nashua, Lawrence, and Reading; Miss M. J. O'Connor and Miss Katie M. Callahan of Holyoke, Miss Witherell and Miss Fairgraves of Lawrence, and a party of 15 from North Billerica. The office employes were present in all their loveliness, viewing the scene from one of the boxes.

The success of the affair depended greatly upon the efforts of the following officers: General manager, Charles D. West; assistant manager, Thomas F. Lonergan; floor director, William A. Hayes; assistant floor director, Michael J. Manning; chief aid, Frank J. Conroy; aids, John S. Rourke, Michael F. O'Hare, John H. Joyce, Joseph Moore, John McCabe, Andrew C. Jones, John McDonald; reception committee, T. J. Sayers, chairman; Maurice M. Nash, J. W. Wood, James O. Ellis, William H. Mahoney, M. E. O'Donnell, J. K. Winchester, Thomas Lee, M. F. Clark, Albert E. Myers, Wm. T. Downing, Andrew J. McAloon, and Daniel Flannigan.

THOMAS J. SAYERS, chairman of reception committee.

POLICE NOTES.

OVERCOAT THIEVES ABROAD—OWNER WANTED FOR A ROBE.

The overcoat thieves are around again, therefore keep your front doors locked and your eye on the back door. At Mrs. Ripley's boarding house on Appleton street an overcoat belonging to C. R. Carpenter was taken from the front hallway and another was taken from a house on Lee street.

In Mrs. Ripley's the thief entered and upon being met by one of the boarders, asked if "Mr. Brown" lived there and then appropriated the overcoat.

There is a black fur robe at the police station awaiting an owner.

DEATHS.

MILLER—Mary E. Miller, aged 54 years, died last night at 179 Fayette street.

WARREN—Marion Warren, aged one year, child of Frank and Minnie Warren, died last night at their home, 76 Liberty street. Funeral tomorrow afternoon.

To Cure Constipation Forever.
Take Cascarets Candy Cathartic. 10c or 25c. If C. C. C. fail to cure, druggists refund money.

J. F. O'DONNELL, UNDERTAKER,
Market, Corner Worthen Street. Telephone.

$7 TO $15
GOOD ORGANS for above prices. Call at once. Must have the room.
GEORGE A. GARDNER,
20 Prescott Street.

RUGBY FOOTBALLS—Regulation size for boys who sell five pounds of our fine Teas. O'Brien Bros., Tea Dealers, 77 E. Merrimack street. Telephone 69-3.

FINE, STYLISH AND UP-TO-DATE TAILORING.

Now is the time to get a stylish fall Suit or Overcoat at cost, as we are overstocked. We will make one and take good care of you. Your clothes kept in repair for one year free of charge. Samples willingly given to everybody. Take them home and after a fair test as to quality and color you will cease to wonder why we do the largest business in the city. Cut prices for 30 days. Three thousand different styles Suitings in Scotch, German, Blarney Tweeds, McGregor Bliss Tweeds, Obans, Snippy Mortons, Vicunas, former price $35, $38, $40, and $45. Marked down to $18, $20, $22, $25.

One thousand different styles Business Suits. Former price $30, $32, $35. Marked down to $18, $20, for 30 days only.

One thousand different styles Trouserings, $5, $5.50, $6, $6.50. Marked down from $7, $8, $9, $10, and $11.

Genuine Black Clay Diagonal Suit, to order, warranted not to shine, $25. Can not be duplicated in the city for less than $40.

Dress Suit, silk lined, made to order, $35. Former price, $50.

A visit of comparison will be convincing. Our styles are complete and up-to-date. See them before deciding. Our variety is treble that of any other house in Lowell. Any style you wish. If odd or different we have it. All first class. All warranted. We employ only men to make our garments. Open Monday, Tuesday, Friday and Saturday evenings. Lighted by electricity. Cavanaugh & Dissault, high class tailors for men and women, C. W. Cheney's old stand, Central stret, corner Middle. Telephone 255-5.

Fifty dress Suits to let.

KELLY'S PARENTS

WILL PUBLISH THE WRITINGS OF THE MURDERER.

Amesbury, Mass., Nov. 19.—It has been learned that the family of Joseph E. Kelly of Somersworth, N. H., murderer, sentenced to thirty years' imprisonment and to pay the costs of the prosecution, proposes to meet the latter penalty by publishing in book form the writings of the murderer. The book will include his will and farewell address to the world.

TWELVE-PAGE SUN SATURDAY.

Warm Cloves
FOR
STREET, DRESS OR DRIVING

"Makes me warm to look at those Gloves," said a hustling business man yesterday. When the frost begins to bite who would grudge

ONE DOLLAR

And an assortment here that is bewildering in extent and variety. Never saw such values—and lots of 'em.

CLOVES

For street wear, unlined, silk lined, wool lined, lamb lined. Warm and dressy.

We mention particularly our line of celebrated Cabri a. Pique. Dogskin Gloves. Meyer's make—every pair warranted. Colors—the newest shades.

$1.00.

Mechanics and Workmen, it will pay you to travel from the other end of the town to see our 500. Gloves and Mittens.

Opp. City Hall. Merrimack Clothing Company

SUN EXTRA

5 O'CLOCK.

LONDON ABLAZE

Most Serious Fire of Recent Years Now Raging.

FIRE DEPARTMENT CANNOT SUBDUE THE FLAMES.

The Loss Will be Tremendous.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

London, Nov. 19.—The most serious fire in recent years is now raging here. In several streets adjacent to the general post office huge blocks are blazing fiercely. Fifteen warehouses have already been destroyed. Well street is entirely gone and the flames are now leaping toward Nicholas Square. The fire department has given up hope of subduing the fire and is devoting its energies to preventing the spread of the fire. The loss will be tremendous.

At 3 o'clock thirty fire engines were engaged in fighting the flames. Others are arriving momentarily. One end of Jewin street is now attacked and presents the appearance of a raging furnace. Several large buildings have fallen. Most of the buildings destroyed are six stories high and filled with merchandise.

TWELVE-PAGE SUN SATURDAY.

ROYAL ARCANUM

Grand Officers Banqueted by Lowell Council

DEGREE WORK AT ODD FELLOWS' TEMPLE.

Followed by an Entertainment and Dance.

The most exciting game thus far played in the duck pin tournament at the Vesper club was that last night between Teams Three and Four. Team Four won, 1358 to 1342. Carney was high roller with a total of 253.

The Royal Arcanum and guests owned the town yesterday, for the grand officers visited Lowell Council No. 8, and the members of that council entertained them royally.

The grand officers arrived early in the afternoon and were shown through the city. At 5.30 o'clock a banquet was enjoyed at the American House. They were the guests of the Past Regents' association and in the evening attended the meeting of Lowell Council and participated in the festivities of ladies' night.

The out-of-town grand officers present were Grand Regent Charles W. Clark of Andover, Grand Chaplain Charles E. Stumcke of Dorchester, and Grand Warden James F. Wise of Roxbury. The Lowell grand officers with the party were Grand Vice Regent A. G. Walsh and Grand Past Regent Albert W. David.

The diner party was made up besides the grand officers mentioned above of Past Regents D. E. Stimpson, Z. W. Sturtevant, D. O'Brien, F. A. Bowen, J. H. Hughes, C. W. Whitman, Alanson W. Gray, E. N. Leighton, E. W. Thomas, J. J. Hogan, C. O. S. Wheeler, A. H. Cluer, G C. H. Whitney, Willis P. Burbank, and J. W. Gregg.

The following were also present as special guests for the occasion; Rev. Fr. McKenna, Harry R. Rice, John H. Coffey, and Director C. P. Brooks of the Textile school.

Rev. Fr. McKenna invoked divine blessing and afterward President Stimpson welcomed the guests.

Before leaving the American House, the association passed resolutions upon the death of Past Regent Sidney W. Thurlow.

At the conclusion of the business meeting of Lowell Council, the grand officers took seats on the platform and enjoyed the fine program presented. It included a selection by the orchestra, followed by a solo, "Fair Inverness by J. S. Jackson.

Grand Regent Clark of Andover made a brief opening speech.

Grand Chaplain Charles E. Stumcke of Dorchester made a speech and the program was concluded by a reading.

Then the hall was cleared and dancing was soon being enjoyed to its fullest extent. The rooms upstairs were open to those who desired to play whist and many took advantage of the opportunity. It was after midnight that the event came to an end.

The managers of the dance were: General manager, Fay H. Martin; assistant general manager, Daniel Burke floor director, Oliver Ouimet; asistant floor director, Richard Griffiths; aids, Arthur Gilbert, P. R. Parkins, Thomas H Lawler, E. J. Richardson, Fred A. Estes, Hartley Midgeley, Samuel W. Arnold.

Entertainment committee—Fay H. Martin, chairman; John S. Jackson, Richard A. Griffiths, Daniel Burke, J. S. Westwood, E. J. Richardson, H. Stanley Crysler, Oliver Ouimet, Victor Pihl.

TERRIBLY BURNED

Horrible Fate of Little Maggie Holden,

WHO POURED KEROSENE IN KITCHEN STOVE.

The Ambulance Slow in Attending Her.

A horrible fate was that of eight-year-old Maggie Holden, who was fatally burned at her home in Murphy's yard, off Fenwick street this morning.

Maggie's father, it is said, is in England and as her mother works in one of the mills, she and her little brother are alone in the tenement during the day.

This morning Maggie and her little brother locked themselves in the kitchen and played around the fire.

In the room also was a can of kerosene and just about 11 o'clock little Maggie, undoubtedly having seen some one older than herself do it, took the can of kerosene and poured its contents into the fire.

The flames immediately sprang into her face and in a twinkling she was all ablaze. In her sufferings she could not unlock the door and her baby brother was too badly frightened to even cry out.

The screams of the unfortunate little prisoner attracted the attention of some young men in Fenwick street and by breaking a window they obtained access to the room. By the time, however, that they got to Maggie's assistance, the entire upper part of her body was literally roasted and she presented a most shocking sight.

A little after 11 o'clock the ambulance was called for.

Then the little girl who was writhing in agony until the last spark of strength deserted her was wrapped in a blanket and laid upon a bed.

But the ambulance? It was called at 11 o'clock and it arrived on Fenwick street at 11.45, so the people who were there state, while the sufferer lay unattended, awaiting its coming.

She was taken to St. John's hospital and the doctors say she cannot recove.

DIED OF YELLOW FEVER

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Pensacola, Fla., Nov. 19.—A soldier of the First Artillery, Joseph Kreig, died in the hospital last evening, of yellow fever.

TERRIFIC PRAIRIE FIRE

By Associated Press to the Sun.

Emma, Texas, Nov. 19.—A terrific prairie fire passed through Lubberick, Hale, and Crosby counties yesterday, doing great damage. The flames made a fire ten miles wide an at least four hundred miles of territory are burned over. Three thousand sheep in one flock were burned to death and many cattle have been burned.

VASSAR STUDENTS ILL.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., Nov. 19.—Sixty students at Vassar College are seriously ill, all having been taken sick two days ago from eating improperly cooked veal.

WEYLER AFFIRMS DEVOTION.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Madrid, Nov. 19.—The Captain-General of Calicia has telegraphed to the government here saying that in an interview he had yesterday with General Weyler, the latter completely exculpated himself from the charges against him and affirmed his devotion to the government.

DR. NANSEN'S DENIAL

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Milwaukee, Wis., Nov. 19.—Dr. Nansen emphatically denied last night that arrangements are being made for another arctic trip by him and said he has no plans for the future.

POLICE COURT.

Three drunks.

Napoleon Germaine and O. Dourdelleau, the Billerica bird thieves, got four months in jail each.

John Lynch, a stubborn child, received six months in the workhouse.

TWELVE-PAGE SUN SATURDAY.

Hood's Pills
Stimulate the stomach, rouse the liver, cure biliousness, headache, dizziness, sour stomach, constipation, etc. Price 25 cents. Sold by all druggists. The only Pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Money Deposited
On or before Friday December 3rd, in the Savings Department of the
Traders' National Bank
Will draw interest from December 1st, at the rate of 4 per cent. per annum, compound semi-annually.
HOURS { Daily 8 a. m. to 4 p. m. Saturdays { 8 a. m. to 1, p. m. 7 to 9 p. m.
30 Middlesex street, 11 Post Office Avenue.
Chas. J. Glidden, President.
William F. Hills, Cashier.

LATEST

LAURIER'S PLAN

Canada Will Send a Commission to This Country.

TO SETTLE BOUNDARY AND AND OTHER DISPUTES.

No More Groping in the Dark.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Ottawa, Can., Nov. 19.—Within two hours after the arrival of Sir Wilfred Laurier and party from Washington, th cabinet held a meeting and decided to send a commission to Washington composed of men familiar with the various questions to meet a similar body in behalf of the United States and endeavor to reach a settlement on all boundary and other questions at issue. Laurier said this morning that each party now knew exactly where it stands and there will be no more groping in the dark.

H. C. CHURCH DEAD.

H. C. Church, the well known insurance man, died this morning at his home, 444 Fletcher street. His death occurred very suddenly and he was 84 years old. He is survived by one son, Harry Church.

Henry Cook Church was born in Hartford, Conn., May 9, 1813, and since 1865 has been engaged in the insurance business until 1891, when he retired and was succeeded by his son, Frederic C. Church. In politics, Mr. Church was a staunch republican and served in the Common Council in 1871. He was a member of the Kirk street church, the Board of Trade, and the Odd Fellows, Masons, and a trustee of the Central Savings bank.

IS YOUR NAME ON THE CHECK LIST? IF NOT, GO TO THE REGISTRARS' OFFICE, CITY HALL, FRIDAY AND HAVE IT PUT ON.

First class printing done at this office.

Heavy Scotch wool gloves, double wrists and fancy backs—the 50-cent sort for 25 cents.

Astrachan gloves in new brown shades, kid palms and plush lined—the seventy-five cent kind for 50 cents.

These two items tell the story of glove values here.

There's nothing missing in gloves that men or boys wear, from the heavy oil tanned at 25 cents, to the finest silk lined for street or driving.

The best from Dent and Fownes Bros. and all the kinds between.

A new glove for motormen is wool lined buckskin with wool wrister and gauntlet attached.

PUTNAM & SON.
No 166 CENTRAL STREET.

GODDARD LOST TO SHARKEY.

San Francisco, Nov. 19.—Tom Sharkey has won another questionable battle, his victim this time being old Joe Goddard. The fight, which was scheduled for 20 rounds, terminated in the sixth, when Sharkey, after landing a stiff right on Goddard's jaw, rushed at his man and knocked him to the floor literally by force of impact, falling heavily upon him. Goddard's head struck the floor with an awful smash. He arose at the end of three seconds and staggered to the ropes, Referee McArthur meanwhile holding the excited sailor back.

Amid great confusion McArthur awarded the fight to Sharkey. The decision was just, but Sharkey's victory is far from creditable, it being the popular impression that Goddard was hurt more by his collision with the floor than from Sharkey's blows, which were at all times wild and miserably timed.

It Stands Alone

As an example of what you may find here in overcoats.

Let us describe the garment we sell for $10.00.

BOX OVERCOAT, in two lengths; short and natty for young men, or a little longer for older ones, made from strictly all-wool double milled Kersey; body lined throughout with fine Clay Worsted; sleeves lined with Goddard Bros.' guaranteed satin and finished with a deep yoke of the same satin; "Lapped" and double-stitched seams, that will not fray.

In style, in finish, in richness, in quality, in elegance, these overcoats are positively unique, unapproached and unapproachable in this country at our price,

$10.00.

This is, however, but one of the attractions of our overcoat stock, so startling as to seem improbable.

Another is a lot of

50 Superb Triple Milled Kersey Overcoats,

lined throughout, body and sleeves, with fine black satin, such garments as tailors charge from thirty to forty dollars to make, that we offer for

$15.00.

It matters not what you wish for in overcoats, whether all-wool Kerseys, for $5.00, $6.00 and $8.00, or the finest overcoats made by Rogers, Peet & Co. for $18.00, $23.00, $25.00 and $30.00, you will find them here in black, blue, brown, olive and oxford mixtures, of Kersey, Beaver, Frieze and Chinchilla, as well as in the new winter weight Covert cloths.

PUTNAM & SON,
166 CENTRAL STREET,
LOWELL, MASS.

TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON.

Southern Division.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
6 43	8 00	6 00	§7 07
6 26	7 40	6 23	7 45
6 42	7 52	6 43	§7 25
§7 04	8 12	7 55	9 10
*§7 20	8 10	*5 35	§9 10
*§7 25	8 18	*9 00	§9 33
§7 33	8 50	9 10	§10 26
*7 45	8 57	10 17	11 35
*8 00	9 45	10 45	11 55
9 15	10 35	11 30	§12 07
9 40	10 48	12 00	§12 58
11 00	12 04	*1 00	§1 34
§11 47	12 23	2 00	3 04
§12 16	1 05	*3 00	§3 35
1 40	2 60	3 47	5 03
3 00	4 25	4 14	§5 22
*§3 02	4 35	§5 00	6 45
4 25	5 30	5 35	6 55
§5 22	6 15	5 47	6 57
5 41	7 10	6 14	7 30
*§6 22	7 05	*7 30	§8 08
*‡7 49	8 20	*8 00	§8 35
		10 15	11 22
		11 20	12 23

Sunday Trains.

§7 20	8 10	2 15	§3 05
§7 25	8 15	9 00	§10 07
8 45	8 60	1 00	§1 57
§9 19	10 10	5 00	§6 09
§4 25	5 32	7 30	§8 18
§6 55	7 00	8 00	§8 58
		9 00	10 05

Western Division.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
6 50	8 03	7 30	8 33
8 15	9 10	9 25	10 37
9 25	10 39	10 25	11 46
10 50	12 02	11 50	1 05
12 05	1 37	2 15	3 19
12 45	1 58	3 45	4 65
2 30	3 44	4 35	5 45
3 20	4 22	5 01	6 20
4 03	5 23	6 01	7 13
5 10	6 42	6 35	7 48
6 15	7 20	9 40	10 37
7 00	8 06	11 15 ‡	12 01
9 23	10 50		

Sunday Trains.

8 13	9 27	8 00	9 17
10 05	1 26	11 45	12 58
4 13	5 58	5 00	6 15
5 30	6 55	7 00	8 22
7 25	8 45		

Trains by this division leave Lowell from Middlesex street station.

Leave Boston from the new Union Station, Causeway street.

*Express.

§From Middlesex St. station only.

‡ Runs to Lowell Wednesdays and Saturdays only.

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A DOUBLE ROASTING PAN

Until Thanksgiving we will give away with a pound of our 60c. Tea a double roaster. See samples in show window. Telephone 23-2, Dickson Bros., 68 Merrimack street.

LOCAL NEWS.

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Ask to see those ladies' solid gold watches for $15.50. Harris, 10 Appleton street.

Cold? Well, buy your coal of Rourke & Sullivan. It will keep your house comfortable. 223 Central street, 951 Gorham street.

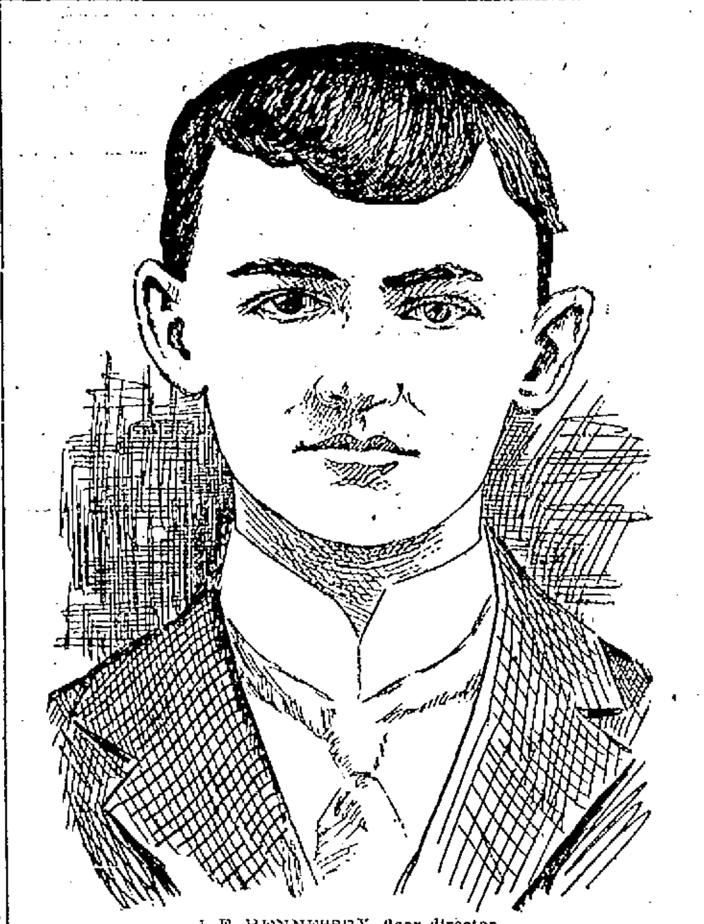
BURN WILSON'S COAL.

Pease's orchestra at 201 Middlesex street, room 6. Order book at Lawler's book store, corner of John and Merrimack street.

Today Purchasing Agent Banard called for bids for 500 pounds of turkey which will be supplied to inmates of the City Farm at dinner next Thursday.

50 second hand parlor stoves and ranges taken in exchange for our celebrated Century stoves and ranges All repaired and warranted. For sale cheap at A. E. O'Heir & Co.'s, 16 Merrimack street.

REGISTRATION FRIDAY FROM 1 TO 3, AND 7 TO 9 P. M.



J. F. HENNESSEY, floor director.

A "HURDY GURDY"

Party of That Title in Associate Hall.

UNDER THE AUSPICES OF YOUNG PEOPLE

Of St. Patrick's Parish—A Big Success.

The Hurdy Gurdy party held in Associate Hall ast night was one of the most enjoyable sociables of the early season.

It was a novel affair and the huge audience entered into the spirit of the evening and allowed nothing to interfere with their pleasure. The entertainment program was a choice one, and the young people who took part in it are deserving of praise for their fine work.

It included songs by Miss Blanche Dexter, John J. Hanlon, Dennis O'Neil and the Children's Glee club; duets by Miss Nellie and Dennis O'Neil; banjo solos by Miss Lottie Walsh, accompanied by Miss Kittie Walsh; readings by James T. Hennessy.

Shortly after nine o'clock, the dance commenced and music was furnished by a real hurdy gurdy, which some of the young people styled a "high-toned hand organ. The music was immense and just as good for dancing as that furnished by an orchestra.

The dance officials: General manager, Bernard J. Brown; assistant general manager, Jas. J. Rafter; floor director, James T. Hennessey; assistant floor director, William D. Regan, chief aids, Thos. B. Delaney, Ed. H. Foye, Thos. F. McCann, John J. Murphy, John Golden, John R. Shea, Wm. Barrett, Wm. Hart.

Several tables, prettily decked, were arranged around the hall and were well patronized during the evening.

Among the young women who attended the tables and to whom much credit is due for the success of the affair were: Mrs. R. J. Lang, Miss Boyle, Mrs. Monehan, Katherine McDonald, Mary Brown, Grace Campbell, Agnes Redding, Emma Farrell, Miss Quinn, Mary Callahan, Laura Clancy, Agnes Tighe, Charlotte Welch, Josephine Condon, Bertha Dempsey, Maggie Crevier, Kate Donahue, Maggie McCuffrey, Mrs. Rourke, May Condon, Grace Dempsey, Hattie Murdock, Annie Delmore, Ellen O'Hearn, Mary Joyce, Annie Cogger, Mae Lang, Mamie Welch, Winie Turner, Mamie Dacey, Miss Hallesey, Helen Muldoon, Ella Nugent, Katie Skeffington.

The success of the affair is due mostly to the efforts of Rev. Fr. Walsh and Bernard J. Brown, superintendent of the Sunday school and who had general charge of the affair.

Get Ayer's Cherry Pectoral

"Get it honest if you can, but—get it."

It cures all coughs and colds.

Teamsters should see our Heavy Sheep Lined Coats, in canvass and cloth. Talbot Clothing Co.

Gloves for Men and Boys, in all the best makes. Talbot Clothing Co.

The best grades of Underwear for Men and Boys at the lowest prices. Talbot Clothing Co.

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WORKINGMEN AND MECHANICS, THIS IS YOUR OPPORTUNITY.

For sale, cheap, on easy terms, located on D street, near the Shaw Stocking company, on high and dry land, with good sewerage, convenient to schools, churches, and two lines of street cars, piped for gas and water; five cottage houses and one two-tenement house. These houses have all modern improvements and are suitably arranged for families. Part of these houses have just been completed and the rest will be finished, ready for occupancy in a very short time.

Terms liberal. A small amount down and the balance can be paid in monthly instalments.

Anyone desiring to go through these houses and inquire terms and prices, call on J. W. Bennett, the owner, at 584 Middlesex street.

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Take Cascarets Candy Cathartic. 10c or 25c. If C. C. C. fail to cure, druggists refund money

Dr. Coburn DENTIST 81 MERK ST.

A TRANSFORMATION SCENE

Alterations suspended until after the holidays. Bargain prices continued, however. The Dress Goods must be sold. 4 items at startling low prices.

1st. Novelties and Serges. **49c** The best assortment we have ever shown in Tebelines Poplins, Jamestown Novelties, Storm Serges, 50 inches, etc., etc.

2nd. Novelties and Serges. **69c** Regular $1.00 and a few $1.25 styles in Canvas Cloths, Granite Cloths, Tweeds, Astrachan Cloths, Silk Mixtures, 44 to 54 inches wide. This is a phenomenal lot and must be seen to be appreciated.

3rd Novelties and Plain Cloths. **89c** $1.25 and $1.50 Imported and Domestic Novelties and Staple Weaves, in all best colors and combinations, Half Silk Mixtures, Tweeds, etc., etc. A wonderful offering.

4th. Plaid Dress Goods & Velvets. **49c** Plaid Dress Goods, Silk and Wool and all pure Wool Cloths, usually sold for 75c and $1.00. Also Silk Faced Velvets for the same price, 49c.

Dress Skirts Made Free to Measure If Goods are bought at Dress Goods Dept.

JACKETS, SKIRTS AND WAISTS. --- 8 ITEMS OF UNUSUAL INPORTANCE. "THE PRICE."

1st. A Jacket. **$4.98** Ladies' heavy Boucle Jackets, half satin lined, high rolling collar, worth $8.50.
Same price, English Covert and Cheviots, all colors.

2nd. A Jacket. **$2.98** Ladies' and Misses' Fine Beaver Jackets, Fly Front, Storm Collar.
Splendid value.

3rd. A Skirt. **$1.49** Ladies' All Wool Novelty and Scotch Mixtures and Plaid Skirts, Percaline Lining, Velvet Binding, all finished seams.

4th. A Waist. **98c** A new lot of Plaid Waists, all lined throughout, velvet collar, new patterns. Also some with white linen collars. Worth double the price.

5th. A Misses' Jacket. **$1.98** 150 Misses' and Children's Jackets, in Fancy Mixtures and Braid Trimming, all sizes, at the ridiculous price of $1.98.

6th. A Dressing Sacque. **79c** Special Sale of Ladies' Eiderdown Sacques and Robes at all prices. Special Leader—Dressing Sacque, all colors, at 79c.

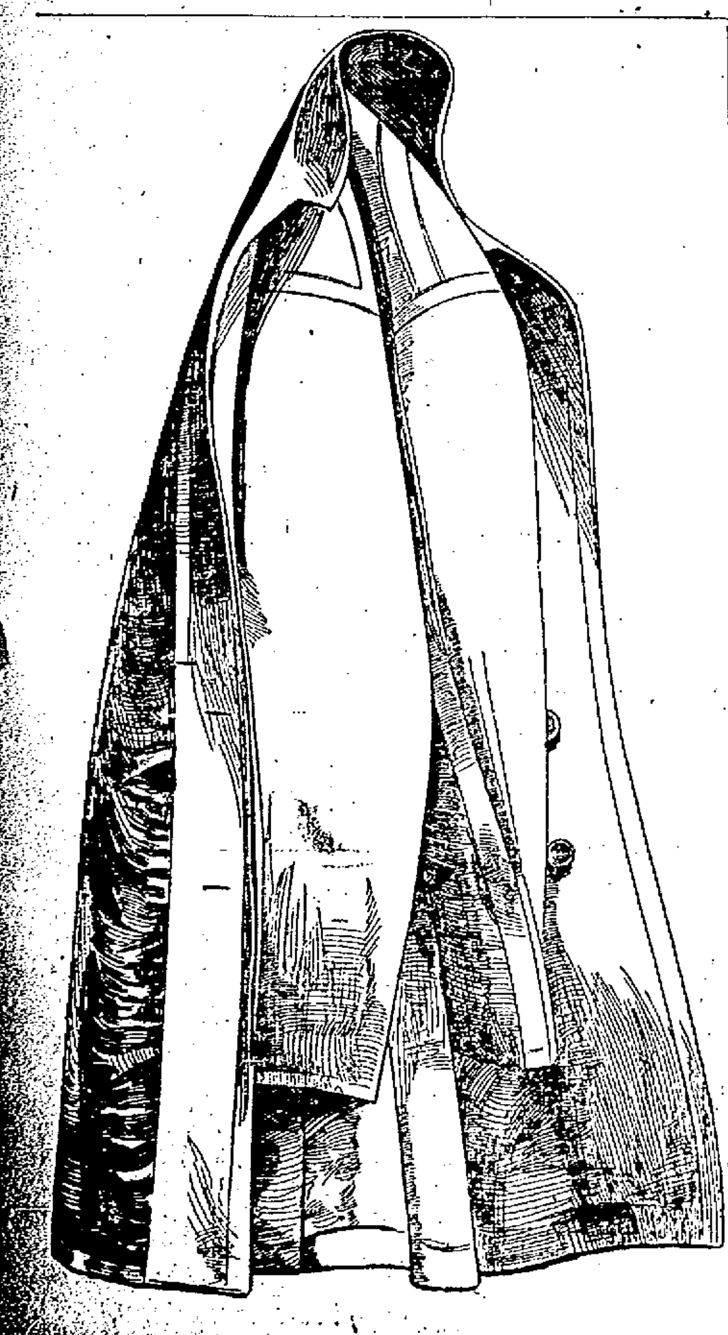
7th A Wrapper. **62 1/2c** Ladies' Fine Percale Wrapper, body all lined, prettily trimmed.
A wonder at 62 1-2c.

8th. Elec. Seal Collarette. **$2.49** Fine Electric Seal ("not rat skins"), 10 inches long, extra high collar, Fine Black Satin Lining.
Worth $5.00.

Watch the Show Windows at the "Busy Store." **The Bon Marche Dry Goods Co.**

TALBOT'S GREAT OVERCOAT SALE

The Greatest Stock, the Greatest Values, the Greatest Variety Ever Shown in Lowell.



YOUNG MEN ATTENTION.

We offer today in three colors, Black, Blue and Brown the leading Topcoat for the stylish dresser, a very fine grade Kersey, cut short box, raw edge lap seams, cloth collar, made up specially to our order, no better garment can be bought for $20. Our price for this special lot

$15.00 EACH

45 more of those fine $18.00 Brown Kersey Box Overcoats, lap seams, raw edge, wide facings. This coat has been our greatest seller at

$13.00 EACH

100 Fine Black and Blue

KERSEY OVERCOATS.

In regular and short sizes, fancy lined, wide facings, made lap seams, raw edge. We shall sell at

$12.00 EACH

TALBOT Clothing Company
Cor. Central and Warren Sts.

THREE LARGE LOTS OF

Heavy All Wool Frieze Overcoats

Raw edge, lap seams and fancy lined in blue and two shades of Brown Mixtures, an Overcoat well worth $18.00. We shall sell at

$12.00 EACH

The Surprise of the Season IS OUR

$10 KERSEY OVERCOAT

In Men's and Boys' Sizes, raw edge, lap seams, black, blue and brown, customers tell us they are equal to the $15 Overcoats shown elsewhere. Remember our price is only

$10.00 EACH

Gentlemen in search of fine up-to-date Overcoats are advised to see our great variety at

$15, $18, $20 and $25

A special drive is our Triple Milled Kersey, in black and blue at

$20.00 EACH

Headquarters for the celebrated Ulster—the Frieze King. Price

$12.00

TALBOT Clothing Company
American House Block.

Boys' Reefers

Sizes 8 to 16 years, Heavy All Wool Frieze Reefers in blue and Oxford brown, raw edge, lap seams, with small or ulster collar, the best value we ever offered at the price.

$5.00 EACH

You cannot match them in town for less than $7.00

Heavy All Wool Indigo Blue Chinchilla Reefers.

Sizes 3 to 16 years, sailor collar 3 to 8, small or ulster collar 8 to 16. The best Chinchilla we ever sold at the price.

$5.00 EACH

Others ask $6 and $7 for one not as good.

Special.

50 all wool indigo blue Chinchilla Reefers, large storm collar, sizes 8 to 16 years, a regular $6 coat, our price only

$3.50 EACH

All sizes in stock today, but we cannot duplicate them.

TALBOT Clothing Company
Cor. Central and Warren Sts.

Children's Reefers

With the new small collar, sizes 3 to 8 years in blue, brown and Oxford Mixed Friezes, dark brown kersey and fancy boucle cloths at

$5, $6 and $7

They are great sellers and by all odds the most stylish juvenile coat shown this season.

Sailor Collar Reefers.

Sizes 3 to 8 years in chinchilla, astrachan and frieze at

$3.50, $4 and $5

Special.

35 Brown Astrachan Reefers, sailor collar, wide fancy braid, pearl buttons, a regular $5 reefer; our price while they last only

$3.50 EACH

Boys' Single Breasted Box Overcoats, sizes 8 to 16 years, in kersey, melton, covert and fancy cloths at $5, $6 $8 and $10, the only dressy Topcoat in these sizes shown this season.

Never in the history of our business have we shown such a variety of Reefers and Topcoats for Boys and Children as this season. More exceptional values. More confined Styles than can be found in all other stores combined.

Talbot Clothing Co.
American House Block.

THANKSGIVING.
IS DONE UP IN PROSE AND POETRY. FACTS AND FANCIES OF THE HOLIDAY SUPERBLY ILLUSTRATED. UNIQUE FEATURES IN TOMORROW'S SUN.

THE LOWELL SUN

TO THE LADIES.
A WHOLE PAGE TO SUIT THEIR TASTES—THE WORLD OF SPORT AND OF HUMOR WITH ARTICLE ON HUNTING—IN TOMORROW'S 12-PAGE SUN.

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SECOND EDITION

THE WEATHER.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

The weather indications for the ensuing twenty-four hours are as follows: Cloudy, probably snow tonight and Saturday. Slightly warmer. Variable winds.

JOLLY AND FREE

The Street Railroad Men Danced With Glee.

NO TRANSFERS TO PUNCH—NO STREETS TO CALL.

They Forgot All Their Cares at Their Annual Ball.

For once in a long time, the street railway employes from starter to spare man, threw their cares to the winds and enjoyed life to their heart's content. The motorman forgot his switches, the conductor his transfers, the construction man his sledge and all tackled the dance with the proper spirit, making the third annual concert and ball of the Lowell & Suburban Street Railroad Employes' Relief association a most successful and enjoyable affair.

This association was formed about two years ago and its object is to give financial relief to members who may be incapacitated from work by illness

CHARLES D. WEST, President L. S. Relief Association.

or accident. Since its beginning, it has paid out over $2000, the amount per week being $6. Its officers are: President, Charles D. West; vice president, J. K. Winchester; treasurer, Col. Percy Parker; physician, Dr. Joe V. Meigs.

But the ball. It was a most delightful affair. Some would look for a larger crowd, but there were enough, and at no time was the floor crowded, as is often the case at such events.

In honor of the affair the hall was tastefully decorated by Charles F. Young, the well known decorator. The prevailing colors were pink, nile green, and white. The proscenium and boxes were very tastefully bedecked with bunting, gracefully arrayed, while the windows and bare spots were hidden by the attractive bunting and the stage was converted into a floral bower abounding in tropical plants and graceful ferns, the floral work being most artistic and furnished gratuitously by James McManiman, the well known florist of the Square. From behind the leafy ledge floated the exquisite strains of the dance music, rendered by Hibbard's orchestra, which assisted in the concert at the opening of the festivities, the program being as follows:

March, "Second Regiment Conn. N. G." ..... Reaves
Overture, "The Two Hussars," Doppler
Solo, selected .....
Miss Louise McLaughlin.
Zylophone solo, "On Time Polka!" ..... Stobbe
Mr. Henri Dufresne.
Reading, "Minuet" .....
Marguerite M. Elvin.
Solo, "Asthore" ..... Pretersie
Mr. James E. Donnilley.
Finale, "The Trolley Party,".. Hibbard
Emil C. Lavigueur, director; Joseph H. Hibbard, prompter.

At the conclusion of the concert, Joe Hibbard, who officiated as starter, sounded two bells on a street car gong which was in use during the evening, and the march was begun. It was led by Floor Director William A. Hayes, escorting Miss Rose Crane, followed by Charles D. West and Miss Nellie Fairgraves of Lawrence, Mr. M. J. Manning and Miss Josie O'Brien, F. J. Conroy

THOMAS J. SAYERS, chairman of reception committee.

and Miss Moore, John S. Roarke and wife, Andrew C. Jones and Miss Baker, John McDonald and lady and about 150 couples. The march was finely executed and made a pretty sight, many of the ladies wearing elaborate toilettes.

After the march, the order consisting of 24 well selected numbers was entered upon and was enjoyed by a large

WM. A. HAYES, floor director.

number. At midnight an intermission of half an hour was taken during which time a very palatable supper was served in the Merrimack House. After supper the remainder of the order was gone through and shortly after two o'clock the last trip around the floor was made and trolleys were put on the wires that lead toward home.

There were many prominent guests of the association present and foremost among them was Florence O'Donoghue, formerly starter of the Lowell & Suburban, but now superintendent of the Nashua line. There were also present Superintendent Bagley, Directors Brennan, Fels and Tucke, and railroad men from Nashua, Lawrence, and Reading; Miss M. J. O'Connor and Miss Katie M. Callahan of Holyoke, Miss Witherell and Miss Fairgraves of Lawrence, and a party of 15 from North Billerica. The office employes were present in all their loveliness, viewing the scene from one of the boxes.

The success of the affair depended greatly upon the efforts of the following officers: General manager, Charles D. West; assistant manager, Thomas F. Lonergan; floor director, William A. Hayes; assistant floor director, Michael J. Manning; chief aid, Frank J. Conroy; aids, John S. Rourke, Michael F. O'Hare, John H. Joyce, Joseph Moore, John McCabe, Andrew C. Jones, John McDonald; reception committee, T. J. Sayers, chairman; Maurice M. Nash, J. W. Wood, James O. Ellis, William H. Mahoney, M. E. O'Donnell, J. K. Winchester, Thomas Lee, M. F. Clark, Albert E. Myers, Wm. T. Downing, Andrew J. McAloon, and Daniel Flannigan.

POLICE NOTES.

OVERCOAT THIEVES ABROAD—OWNER WANTED FOR A ROBE.

The overcoat thieves are around again, therefore keep your front doors locked and your eye on the back door. At Mrs. Ripley's boarding house on Appleton street an overcoat belonging to C. R. Carpenter was taken from the front hallway and another was taken from a house on Lee street.

In Mrs. Ripley's the thief entered and upon being met by one of the boarders, asked if "Mr. Brown" lived there and then appropriated the overcoat.

There is a black fur robe at the police station awaiting an owner.

DEATHS.

MILLER—Mary E. Miller, aged 54 years, died last night at 179 Fayette street.

WARREN—Marion Warren, aged one year, child of Frank and Minnie Warren, died last night at their home, 76 Liberty street. Funeral tomorrow afternoon.

To Cure Constipation Forever.
Take Cascarets Candy Cathartic. 10c or 25c. If C. C. C. fail to cure, druggists refund money.

FINE, STYLISH AND UP-TO-DATE TAILORING.

Now is the time to get a stylish fall Suit or Overcoat at cost, as we are overstocked. We will make one and take good care of you. Your clothes kept in repair for one year free of charge. Samples willingly given to everybody. Take them home and after a fair test as to quality and color you will cease to wonder why we do the largest business in the city. Cut prices for 30 days. Three thousand different styles Suitings in Scotch, German, Blarney Tweeds, McGregor Bliss Tweeds, Obans, Snippy Mortons, Vicunas, former price $36, $38, $40, and $45. Marked down to $18, $20, $22, $25.

One thousand different styles Business Suits. Former price $30, $32, $35. Marked down to $18, $20, for 30 days only.

One thousand different styles Trouserings, $5, $5.50, $6, $6.50. Marked down from $7, $8, $9, $10, and $11.

Genuine Black Clay Diagonal Suit, to order, warranted not to shine, $25. Can not be duplicated in the city for less than $40.

Dress Suit, silk lined, made to order, $35. Former price, $50.

A visit of comparison will be convincing. Our styles are complete and up-to-date. See them before deciding. Our variety is treble that of any other house in Lowell. Any style you wish. If odd or different we have it. All first class. All warranted. We employ only men to make our garments. Open Monday, Tuesday, Friday and Saturday evenings. Lighted by electricity. Cavanaugh & Dissault, high class tailors for men and women, C. W. Cheney's old stand, Central stret, corner Middle. Telephone 266-5.

Fifty dress Suits to let.

KELLY'S PARENTS

WILL PUBLISH THE WRITINGS OF THE MURDERER.

Amesbury, Mass., Nov. 19.—It has been learned that the family of Joseph E. Kelly of Somersworth, N. H., murderer, sentenced to thirty years' imprisonment and to pay the costs of the prosecution, proposes to meet the latter penalty by publishing in book form the writings of the murderer. The book will include his will and farewell address to the world.

TWELVE-PAGE SUN SATURDAY.

Warm Gloves
FOR
STREET, DRESS OR DRIVING

"Makes me warm to look at those Gloves," said a hustling business man yesterday. When the frost begins to bite who would grudge

ONE DOLLAR

And an assortment here that is bewildering in extent and variety. Never saw such values—and lots of 'em.

GLOVES

For street wear, unlined, silk lined, wool lined, lamb lined. Warm and dressy.

We mention particularly our line of celebrated Cabrilla, Pique, Dogskin Gloves. Meyer's make—every pair warranted. Colors—the newest shades.

$1.00.

Mechanics and Workmen, it will pay you to travel from the other end of the town to see our 50c. Gloves and Mittens.

Opp. City Hall. Merrimack Clothing Company.

J. F. O'DONNELL, UNDERTAKER,
Market, Corner Worthen Street. Telephone.

$7 TO $15
GOOD ORGANS for above prices. Call at once. Must have the room.
GEORGE A. GARDNER,
20 Prescott Street.

RUGBY FOOTBALLS—Regulation size for boys who sell five pounds of our fine Teas. O'Brien Bros., Tea Dealers, 77 E. Merrimack street. Telephone 69-3.

SUN EXTRA

5 O'CLOCK.

LONDON ABLAZE

Most Serious Fire of Recent Years Now Raging.

FIRE DEPARTMENT CANNOT SUBDUE THE FLAMES.

The Loss Will be Tremendous.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

London, Nov. 19.—The most serious fire in recent years is now raging here. In several streets adjacent to the general post office huge blocks are blazing fiercely. Fifteen warehouses have already been destroyed. Well street is entirely gone and the flames are now leaping toward Nicholas Square. The fire department has given up hope of subduing the fire and is devoting its energies to preventing the spread of the fire. The loss will be tremendous.

At 3 o'clock thirty fire engines were engaged in fighting the flames. Others are arriving momentarily. One end of Jewin street is now attacked and presents the appearance of a raging furnace. Several large buildings have fallen. Most of the buildings destroyed are six stories high and filled with merchandise.

TWELVE-PAGE SUN SATURDAY.

ROYAL ARCANUM

Grand Officers Banqueted by Lowell Council

DEGREE WORK AT ODD FELLOWS' TEMPLE.

Followed by an Entertainment and Dance.

The most exciting game thus far played in the duck pin tournament at the Vesper club was that last night between Teams Three and Four. Team Four won, 1358 to 1347. Carney was high roller with a total of 268.

The Royal Arcanum and guests owned the town yesterday, for the grand officers visited Lowell Council No. 8, and the members of that council entertained them royally.

The grand officers arrived early in the afternoon and were shown through the city. At 5.30 o'clock a banquet was enjoyed at the American House. They were the guests of the Past Regents' association and in the evening attended the meeting of Lowell Council and participated in the festivities of ladies' night.

The out-of-town grand officers present were Grand Regent Charles W. Clark of Andover, Grand Chaplain Charles E. Stumcke of Dorchester, and Grand Warden James F. Wise of Roxbury. The Lowell grand officers with the party were Grand Vice Regent A. G. Walsh and Grand Past Regent Albert W. David.

The diner party was made up besides the grand officers mentioned above of Past Regents D. E. Stimpson, Z. W. Sturtevant, D. O'Brien, F. A. Bowen, J. H. Hughes, C. W. Whitman, Alanson W. Gray, E. N. Leighton, B. W. Thomas, J. J. Hogan, C. O. S. Wheeler, A. H. Cluer, G C. H. Whitney, Willis P. Burbank, and J. W. Gregg.

The following were also present as special guests for the occasion; Rev. Fr. McKenna, Harry R. Rice, John H. Coffey, and Director C. P. Brooks of the Textile school.

Rev. Fr. McKenna invoked divine blessing and afterward President Stimpson welcomed the guests.

Before leaving the American House, the association passed resolutions upon the death of Past Regent Sidney W. Thurlow.

At the conclusion of the business meeting of Lowell Council, the grand officers took seats on the platform and enjoyed the fine program presented. It included a selection by the orchestra, followed by a solo, "Fair Inverness by J. S. Jackson.

Grand Regent Clark of Andover made a brief opening speech.

Grand Chaplain Charles E. Stumcke of Dorchester made a speech and the program was concluded by a reading.

Then the hall was cleared and dancing was soon being enjoyed to its fullest extent. The rooms upstairs were open to those who desired to play whist and many took advantage of the opportunity. It was after midnight that the event came to an end.

The managers of the dance were: General manager, Fay H. Martin; assistant general manager, Daniel Burke floor director, Oliver Ouimet; asistant floor director, Richard Griffiths; aids, Arthur Gilbert, P. R. Parkins, Thomas H. Lawler, E. J. Richardson, Fred A. Estes, Hartley Midgeley, Samuel W. Arnold.

Entertainment committee—Fay H. Martin, chairman; John S. Jackson, Richard A. Griffiths, Daniel Burke, J. S. Westwood, E. J. Richardson, H. Stanley Crysler, Oliver Ouimet, Victor Pihl.

TERRIBLY BURNED

Horrible Fate of Little Maggie Holden,

WHO POURED KEROSENE IN KITCHEN STOVE.

The Ambulance Slow in Attending Her.

A horrible fate was that of eight-year-old Maggie Holden, who was fatally burned at her home in Murphy's yard, off Fenwick street this morning.

Maggie's father, it is said, is in England and as her mother works in one of the mills, she and her little brother are alone in the tenement during the day.

This morning Maggie and her little brother locked themselves in the kitchen and played around the fire.

In the room also was a can of kerosene and just about 11 o'clock little Maggie, undoubtedly having seen some one older than herself do it, took the can of kerosene and poured its contents into the fire.

The flames immediately sprang into her face and in a twinkling she was all ablaze. In her sufferings she could not unlock the door and her baby brother was too badly frightened to even cry out.

The screams of the unfortunate little prisoner attracted the attention of some young men in Fenwick street and by breaking a window they obtained access to the room. By the time, however, that they got to Maggie's assistance, the entire upper part of her body was literally roasted and she presented a most shocking sight.

A little after 11 o'clock the ambulance was called for.

Then the little girl who was writhing in agony until the last spark of strength deserted her was wrapped in a blanket and laid upon a bed.

But the ambulance? It was called at 11 o'clock and it arrived on Fenwick street at 11.46, so the people who were there state, while the sufferer lay unattended, awaiting its coming.

She was taken to St. John's hospital and the doctors say she cannot recove.

DIED OF YELLOW FEVER

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Pensacola, Fla., Nov. 19.—A soldier of the First Artillery, Joseph Kreig, died in the hospital last evening, of yellow fever.

TERRIFIC PRAIRIE FIRE

By Associated Press to the Sun.

Emma, Texas, Nov. 19.—A terrific prairie fire passed through Lubberick, Hale, and Crosby counties yesterday, doing great damage. The flames made a fire ten miles wide on at least four hundred miles of territory are burned over. Three thousand sheep in one flock were burned to death and many cattle have been burned.

VASSAR STUDENTS ILL.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., Nov. 19.—Sixty students at Vassar College are seriously ill, all having been taken sick two days ago from eating improperly cooked veal.

WEYLER AFFIRMS DEVOTION.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Madrid, Nov. 19.—The Captain-General of Calicia has telegraphed to the government here saying that in an interview he had yesterday with General Weyler, the latter completely exculpated himself from the charges against him and affirmed his devotion to the government.

DR. NANSEN'S DENIAL

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Milwaukee, Wis., Nov. 19.—Dr. Nansen emphatically denied last night that arrangements are being made for another arctic trip by him and said he has no plans for the future.

POLICE COURT.

Three drunks.

Napoleon Germaine and O. Bourdelleau, the Billerica bird thieves, got four months in jail each.

John Lynch, a stubborn child, received six months in the workhouse.

TWELVE-PAGE SUN SATURDAY.

Hood's Pills
Stimulate the stomach, rouse the liver, cure biliousness, headache, dizziness, sour stomach, constipation, etc. Price 25 cents. Sold by all druggists. The only Pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Money Deposited
On or before Friday December 3rd, in the Savings Department of the
Traders' National Bank
Will draw interest from December 1st, at the rate of 4 per cent. per annum, compound semi-annually.
HOURS { Daily 8 a. m. to 4 p. m. Saturdays 8 a. m. to 1 p. m. 7 to 9 p. m.
30 Middlesex street, 11 Post Office Avenue.
Chas. J. Glidden, President.
William F. Hills, Cashier.

LATEST

LAURIER'S PLAN

Canada Will Send a Commission to This Country.

TO SETTLE BOUNDARY AND AND OTHER DISPUTES.

No More Groping in the Dark.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Ottawa, Can., Nov. 19.—Within two hours after the arrival of Sir Wilfred Laurier and party from Washington, th cabinet held a meeting and decided to send a commission to Washington composed of men familiar with the various questions to meet a similar body in behalf of the United States and endeavor to reach a settlement on all boundary and other questions at issue. Laurier said this morning that each party now knew exactly where it stands and there will be no more groping in the dark.

H. C. CHURCH DEAD.

H. C. Church, the well known insurance man, died this morning at his home, 444 Fletcher street. His death occurred very suddenly and he was 81 years old. He is survived by one son, Harry Church.

Henry Cook Church was born in Hartford, Conn., May 9, 1813, and since 1866 has been engaged in the insurance business until 1894, when he retired and was succeeded by his son, Frederic C. Church. In politics, Mr. Church was a staunch republican and served in the Common Council in 1871. He was a member of the Kirk street church, the Board of Trade, and the Odd Fellows, Masons, and a trustee of the Central Savings bank.

IS YOUR NAME ON THE CHECK LIST? IF NOT, GO TO THE REGISTRARS' OFFICE, CITY HALL, FRIDAY AND HAVE IT PUT ON.

First class printing done at this office.

Heavy Scotch wool gloves, double wrists and fancy backs—the 50-cent sort for 25 cents.

Astrachan gloves in new brown shades, kid palms and plush lined—the seventy-five cent kind for 50 cents.

These two items tell the story of glove values here.

There's nothing missing in gloves that men or boys wear, from the heavy oil tanned at 25 cents, to the finest silk lined for street or driving.

The best from Dent and Fownes Bros. and all the kinds between.

A new glove for motormen is wool lined buckskin with wool wrister and gauntlet attached.

PUTNAM & SON.
No 166 CENTRAL STREET.

GODDARD LOST TO SHARKEY.

San Francisco, Nov. 19.—Tom Sharkey has won another questionable battle, his victim this time being old Joe Goddard. The fight, which was scheduled for 20 rounds, terminated in the sixth, when Sharkey, after landing a stiff right on Goddard's jaw, rushed at his man and knocked him to the floor literally by force of impact, falling heavily upon him. Goddard's head struck the floor with an awful smash. He arose at the end of three seconds and staggered to the ropes, Referee McArthur meanwhile holding the excited sailor back.

Amid great confusion McArthur awarded the fight to Sharkey. The decision was just, but Sharkey's victory is far from creditable, it being the popular impression that Goddard was hurt more by his collision with the floor than from Sharkey's blows, which were at all times wild and miserably timed.

It Stands Alone

As an example of what you may find here in overcoats.

Let us describe the garment we sell for $10.00.

BOX OVERCOAT, in two lengths; short and natty for young men, or a little longer for older ones, made from strictly all-wool double milled Korsey; body lined throughout with fine Clay Worsted; sleeves lined with Goddard Bros.' guaranteed satin and finished with a deep yoke of the same satin; "Lapped" and double-stitched seams, that will not fray.

In style, in finish, in richness, in quality, in elegance, these overcoats are positively unique, unapproached and unapproachable in this country at our price,

$10.00.

This is, however, but one of the attractions of our overcoat stock, so startling as to seem improbable.

Another is a lot of

50 Superb Triple Milled Kersey Overcoats,

lined throughout, body and sleeves, with fine black satin, such garments as tailors charge from thirty to forty dollars to make, that we offer for

$15.00.

It matters not what you wish for in overcoats, whether all-wool Kersoys, for $5.00, $6.00 and $8.00, or the finest overcoats made by Rogers, Peet & Co. for $18.00, $23.00, $25.00 and $30.00, you will find them here in black, blue, brown, olive and oxford mixtures, of Kersey, Beaver, Frieze and Chinchilla, as well as in the new winter weight Covert cloths.

PUTNAM & SON,
166 CENTRAL STREET,
LOWELL, MASS.

THE WOOLY WEST

And Some Former Lowell Residents.

AN INTERESTING ACCOUNT OF CHAS. JOYCE'S TRAVELS.

During Which He Met Many Old Friends.

It's an old and true saying that the world is small after all, and that wherever one goes, he will always meet Lowell people during his peregrinations, even in the most remote corners of the country. There are Lowell people every where from the Klondike down to Cuba and whenever a traveler from the Spindle City comes across any of them he may be assured of a royal time for absence makes the heart grow fonder and a word or two concerning the old place coming from the lips of one who has just left it is worth more to the exile than a bushel of letters.

Now there are many travellers who start out from Lowell to see the country, but none of them ever came across more people from this city in one trip than did Mr. Charles J. Joyce, the well known liquor dealer of Central street, who has just returned from a 24 days' trip west and south.

It might be explained, however, that Charlie, as he is popularly called, has travelled extensively, though but a young man, and "knows the ropes," that is to say, a greengoods or gold brick man would probably ask him to have a drink rather than put him on to a scheme whereby he would make his fortune in one day. Charlie is a traveller in fact and his travels are of benefit to him, for being an observant young man, nothing escapes him and many and interesting are the tales that Charlie tells of his travels. Even John Flynn must listen when he starts.

But of Mr. Joyce's most recent trip, having gone as far West as he could He returned Wednesday afternoon, without getting wet, and I had the pleasure of hearing him tell of the familiar faces he had seen in his travels.

He left here with Mr. James Callahan, son of Ex-Supt. Callahon, the latter bound for Denver, to take advantage of the excellent climate of that locality during the winter months. Their first stop was Chicago and there they met for a starter John B. Ryan, formerly of Lawrence, a brother of the present superintendent of streets, Tom Ryan. Mr. Ryan, though he has been in Chicago for a long time, is quite well known in Lowell and he asked to be remembered to his old friends. He is conducting an extensive business over the Alhambra theatre, wherever that may be.

Leaving Chicago, the two travellers went to Denver without delay and there Mr. Callahan settled himself for the winter, for he intends engaging in business out there. Mr. Joyce told me at length of the advantages of Denver, but everyone speaks well of that faraway city, and it is therefore quite well known. Denver isn't the place it used to be, says Mr. Joyce, for the hard times have brought about the most deplorable conditions.

That led me to ask Mr. Joyce about the silver sentiment and he immediately informed me that silver is the hobby of all sizes and ages. Every one understands the silver question and all who can vote or nearly all are with Bryan to the finish. In the last local election in Denver, he says, there were only 22 tickets in the field and yet notwithstanding this fact, one of the first questions fired at him when he went to his hotel was "Well, how's New York going?"

But while in Denver, Charlie met one man to whom it would be an injustice to overlook in this story. He is Jerry Guion, who every one who patronized Charlie's cosy place around the corner must remember. Jerry worked in Lowell about eight months ago, and for the short time he was here made a decided hit. Jerry, while a good fellow, was as "nice" a chap as ever peeped his face above the ridge. He could juggle glasses with the grace of a prestidigitator and was the envy of all the wine clerks in town, not even excepting Jack McLaughlin of Burlington fame. But Lowell was too slow for Jerry and after working here a few months he brushed the dust from his patent leathers and bought a ticket for the place from whence he came.

Charlie had been in Denver but a day when upon entering a small cafe he nearly had a fit when he beheld behind the bar in all the glory of his six feet four or five, the same old Jerry, juggling glasses as of yore, only with a Chinese on one side of him, washing glasses and a darkey on the other, looking after the bottles.

After they had exchanged greetings, Jerry said: "Charlie, when you go back to Lowell, tell Tom Boyle there's but one thing he needs to make him a King of the Square, and that's a Chinaman to wash the glasses."

Ye who have looked upon the Werner when it fizzles, imagine a Chinese at work in the Quincy. The very thought fills one with pity for the poor Celestial.

Leaving Denver, Mr. Joyce proceeded through the mining country, and into Salt Lake City, where he arrived on election day. He stayed there just long enough to change his mind and then took himself across the prairies to San Francisco, where he was the guest of Jim Garity, an old Lowell boy, now a well to do merchant in that city. Jim is a brother of Henry Garity, the popular landlord at the Farragut House, and with the hospitality characteristic of the family, made Charlie's stay a most pleasant one. Mr. Garrity and a friend of his, Mr. Galvin, visited Lowell two years ago and met everyone. They sent their regards to those they met through Mr. Joyce, particularly to "Dr." Jim Riley of Centralville.

The latter grows eloquent upon San Francisco. He considers it the star city of the country. The climate is most inviting, and it seems that there is but little poverty there. The people are all well dressed and appear to be thriving and there are few "loafers" to be noticed. In 'Frisco also, Mr. Joyce met a Mr. Robinson, formerly of Lowell, a brother-in-law of Officer Holland, who is running a large instalment house there.

From 'Frisco, Mr. Joyce went to Los Angeles and met popular Peter Kelly, formerly with J. L. Chalifoux, who is the owner of a very successful shoe store, employing 10 clerks. But Mr. Kelly is not the only one from Lowell who owns a portion of Los Angeles, for Charlie Barnard, a cousin of "Sam" owns a finely established wet goods dispensary and is making money. In Los Angeles a cousin of Secretary Martin J. Courtney, who was Martin's guest in this city for a time in '93. Mr. Shea is the proprietor of two large places and invites all his Lowell friends to call on him if they ever get out that way. The country around Los Angeles is beautiful. At this time of the year geranium beds and calla lilies enhance the beauty of the city lawns, while the gardens abound with luscious oranges and rare fig trees.

After his stay in Los Angeles, Mr. Joyce crossed Arizona and the Great American Desert, with nothing to see but waste of space and nothing to drink but water, through New Mexico, and all its dust, into El Paso, Texas, where, at the hotel, while conversing with the clerk, he was taken for Solly Smith, the man who licked Dixon.

Leaving El Paso, he jumped to Chicago, and from there direct to Lowell.

MUSIC HALL.

"A Jay in New York" is the title of Wm. Jerome's conglomeration of sparkling wit, fun, and comedy, now playing at Music Hall. The company was greeted by a great house last night, but will undoubtedly draw a much larger attendance tonight.

The leading and distinctive feature of the show is that it is decidedly free from anything objectionable. The wit is of the highest, cleanest, and brightest character without any alloy of vulgarity and without a dull moment from start to finish. Edward Blondell assumes the role of the "Jay" in New York with an originality and agrarian air that is highly laughable. The most enjoyable part of the program, however, is that which embraces the specialties in which Miss Maud Nugent appears in her original songs and parodies. She is the gifted authoress of "Rosie O'Grady" and last evening sang another song of her own composing, "Mamie Riley," which is equal in merit, although it has not yet caught the popular craze. She was ably assisted in the chorus by Master Robert North, who sat in the front row on the gallery. She responded to several encores and was applauded in the most enthusiastic style. Nick Conway as "Laughing Casey" in his dances, his humorous tories and his comic songs produced rears of laughter. He is a talented comedian of rare style and combined with the other artists of the company, made a decided hit. W. C. Davies proved to be a worthy imitator of John W. Kelley, the late lamented comedian, and gifted story teller of New York. Davies acquitted himself of a series of funny stories, take-offs, and imitations, which convulsed the audience. But it remained for William Jerome himself to cap the climax as the parodist. He is the most talented parodist in the country, and last night he gave some new hits on the leading songs of the day and some popular fads which took immensely with the audience. Lenora Wilson and Carrie Massloney gave a series of songs and dances that were well received while a love making sketch by Edward and Libby Blondell, as "society kids" was a piece of excellent acting that was much applauded.

WM. JEROME.

The show will be repeated tonight, tomorrow afternoon and evening, and should be attended by everyone who wishes for an evening of real enjoyment and good, healthy laughter. It decidedly the best show of its kind that has come to Lowell this season.

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London, Nov. 19.—A dispatch to The Telegraph from St. Petersburg says: Vice Admiral Tyrtoff, Russian minister of marine, has ordered 11 vessels of the Black sea squadron to be held ready and fully equipped. These ships will include four first-class battleships, three gunboats, three training ships and one transport vessel. This order indicates that the Russian government regards affairs in the East as affording little reason for tranquillity.

GIRL DIED OF A WOUND.

Chester, Vt., Nov. 19.—Ada Pinney, a 16-year-old girl of Andover, was accidentally shot Wednesday by her brother-in-law, Frank Lombard, and died yesterday. Lombard was examining his gun, which he held over his knee, when it was discharged, the contents entering the girl's hip and penetrating the bladder. The house is situated five miles from the village, and it was several hours before medical aid could reach her.

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TO IMITATE THE ENGLISH.

New York, Nov. 19.—A special to The Commercial Advertiser from Washington says that J. Addison Porter, secretary to the president, in particular; Theodore Roosevelt, assistant secretary of the navy, and many prominent college men in general are deeply interested in establishing a regatta week in New London, Conn., which shall be coequal in importance and interest with the famous "Henley week" in England. Mr. Porter points out that the course at New London would certainly be agreeable to both Harvard and Yale, and would probably be satisfactory to Cornell, in that postponement on account of rough water is not to be feared. It is proposed that during the week races should be rowed, not only by crews of the big varsities, but also by those of many minor colleges in the middle states and in the west in which rowing plays a prominent part in the athletic curriculum.

HANNA AND OHIO POLITICS.

New York, Nov. 19.—Senator Hanna of Ohio still refuses to talk on political subjects. When asked Thursday as to the situation in Ohio he replied: "Why, the fight is over."

When urged to speak on the attitude of Governor Bushnell and Senator Foraker in the recent contest he answered: "Oh, I can't say anything about that. It would be very bad taste."

The senator expects to return to Ohio next Sunday.

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Most readers of this "Ad." have seen a Thanksgiving display and experienced the rush at our establishment, and we need only say it is advisable to do your buying or ordering as early as possible, if possible, on TUESDAY. We close—as is our custom on holidays—1-2 day Thanksgiving, but open until midnight the day before and until ten Tuesday evening. We shall have half a dozen extra delivery teams and will afford everybody the most liberal treatment in the way of delivery.

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HE MERCENARY REFORMERS AT IT AGAIN.

Councilman Fagan Ably Defends Himself.

The committee appointed to investigate the alleged illegal balloting in the City Council, October 20, met last night and heard evidence presented by several witnesses summoned. Councilmen Sullivan and Pendergast were not present, so their story could not be heard. So far as can be determined the evidence was all favorable to Councilman Fagan and tended to free him from any suspicion of wrong doing. Even Mr. Lang who made the charge, was unable to give any positive sentiments and only by insinuation, charged Mr. Fagan with the offense.

The members of the committee are: Councilmen Libby, Dana, and Miskella. The witnesses examined were President Penn, Councilman Lang, James Smith, Councilman Fagan, and City Messenger Going.

President Penn offered this testimony: "During the balloting I heard Councilman Smith ask that the police be called. I noticed Lang in front of Fagan and the latter was smiling. I ordered the messenger to declare the ballot void after the statement that two ballots were cast. I have no direct knowledge of any councilman casting two ballots, though I remember the accusation. I have no further knowledge of the matter."

Councilman Lang was the next witness and he said: "I was on the committee appointed to see that each councilman balloted legally. Mr. Fagan had a Bray ballot that I saw and as he put it in another bit of paper blew out from under. I asked him twice if he had not placed two ballots in the box. The Bray ballot was of yellow cardboard. The other baloit was of paper. I saw no indications of a fistic fight with Mr. Fagan although I had hold of his shoulder."

Councilman Miskella took Mr. Lang in hand and got the following information:

"I was two feet from the ballot box when Mr. Fagan voted. There were a number of ballots in the box. I did not notice if there were any paper ballots in the box or not. I would not swear there weron't. The ballots separated before they reached the bottom of the box. His hand was about one foot above the box.

"When I made the discovery I asked him if he had not dropped in two ballots."

"Why did you ask Mr. Fagan if he had placed two ballots in the box if you were so certain of the occurence?"

"Because I was appointed on the balloting committee and thought it necessary. I did not place my hand in the ballot box. I swear that the paper ballot that Mr. Fagan deposited had writing on it."

The other principal witness was Councilman James Smith whose story ran something like this:

"I was on the committee to watch the ballot. I saw Mr. Fagan deposit, as I thought, a number of ballots. They separated when he dropped them from his hand. I thought there were two ballots because they separated. I saw the piece of paper on the bottom of the paste board. The card was uppermost. They separated before they struck the bototm of the box. I called the president's attention to the fact that a man had deposited a number of ballots. I did not mention the man's name. I did not observe that he made any movement to remove a ballot that he had deposited. There was some controversy over the matter, but I was speaking to the president at the time and did not notice particularly. I am sure that I saw Mr. Fagan drop two ballots."

When Councilman Miskella questioned the witness, hesaid: "I was as close to the ballot box as I could get. I saw Fagan deposit two ballots, one a piece of writing paper and the other cardboard. I could not see the writing on the writing paper and so could not swear that it was a ballot. It had not separated far enough for me to see the writing on it. I do not know whether or not Mr. Fagan tried to disturb the ballots in the box. I do not recollect what was said except that someone shouted: "I've got him." A few ballots had been cast before Councilman Fagan came along. I would not swear that there were no paper ballots cast before this time."

Couhcilman Penn then examined the witness who said: "As far as writing is concerned I could not swear that the paper placed in the box by Fagan was a ballot. I should be morally certain that it was a ballot. If there was no writing upon it I should call it a blank vote or ballot. I am positive that Councilman Fagan cast two votes. When there is no writing on a ballot we call it a blank and it is just the same as if no vote had been cast."

The evidence of City Messenger Going was important and quite favorable to Mr. Fagan. He said:

"I was instructed to receive the ballots with Smith and Lang. If the votes had come in by call of the president, illegal balloting would have been easier to detect. I saw Fagan vote and shortly after heard Mr. Lang's accusation. After that the vote was declared void. I counted the ballots. Eight had been cast before Fagan's came. Some were cardboard and some were paper. I could not see that Mr. Fagan cast more than one. I would not swear that he cast one or that he cast more. I thought that he cast but one ballot. From the commotion around the box I should say that too many ballots had ben cast. I have no reason to believe that Fagan cast the first ballot. If I remember correctly Fagan placed his hand in the ballot box and took out a paper, saying: "Here is the ballot that I cast," upon Lang's accusation. I do not know whether it was a card or a paper ballot. I could not swear that he cast two ballots."

"I was in a position, considering the commotion around the ballot box, to see everything that was going on. I should think that if Fagan held his hand above the ballot box I should have noticed if he cast more than one ballot. Mr. Lang did not place his hand in the box. Mr. Lang shouted: "Here's the man! He cast two ballots." The vote was then declared void and the men took their seats.

"The ballots were placed on the president's desk, I think. I do not know where they are now. Ordinarily I could detect illegal balloting. It is the custom to hold the ballots in such a manner that they can be seen. I noticed nothing irregular in the method of Fagan's voting.

"I believe that it was possible for a man to be deceived in the number of ballots cast by one man by the number being thrown in together before Mr. Lang's impeachment"

Councilman Fagan made a strong denial of the charge. When questioned he replied:

"I left my seat with Sullivan in front of me. I deposited one ballot and as I was leaving I heard Lang say, "You deposited two ballots." I did not know who he was talking to and continued on my way. He shouted at me again and grasped me by the shoulder. I simply laughed at him. Lang took out one paper ballot and said "That is one of the ballots you voted. Mr. Sullivan said that he had placed that ballot in the box. I then went to my seat. There were other paper ballots in the box. I do not know whether there were any writing on the ballot taken out by Councilman Lang.

"I did not make a motion to strike Lang."

Mr. Smith was recalled and said that he did not detect any irregularity in the first ballot until the number was counted, 28.

Councilman Lang, recalled, denied emphatically that he had placed his hand in the ballot box. "I would not swear whether or not Councilman Sullivan said that he cast a ballot upon my accusation."

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POLITICAL ARENA

Alleged Republican Frauds in Registration.

WILSON MEN WANT LAWTON TO WITHDRAW.

The Democrats of Ward One Meet.

Though there have been but a few sessions of the board of registrars, still the fine cunning of the republican managers is seen in the registration.

Ever since registration began, the republican papers have prated about democratic fraud, but the democratic side has made no attempt to charge the republicans with fraud. Now there are unmistakable evidences of irregularities in the republican registration. A resident of Ward Nine who admitted he is a republican, presented himself at the registrars' office and asked to have his name put on the voting list. He attempted to go through the form of registering when it was detected that he is a already a voter and his name is on the list. Another man whose name was not on the list of assessed voters came to the registrars' office and asked to be registered. He too, is a republican and the man's name is not on the list of assessed polls. He resides in Ward Two. He should have a tax bill marked "O. R." which means that he came at his own request and was assessed. How the man managed to get this tax bill is a question to be answered by the assessors of Ward Nine.

There are reasons to believe that the republicans are rushing in young men under 21 years of age and two such cases are now being investigated by the city committee. So far as the investigation has proceeded the premises are correct, and prosecution will follow if the facts bear out the assumption of fraud, while the republicans have had a young man named Hall taking stenographic notes of the questions and answers as given by democrats who ask to be registered, the democratic managers have not been idle. They also have a record of all answers given by republican applicants for registration, together with the names of witnesses. Such a move on the part of the republicans was made to scare democrats and divert suspicion from their own crooked work.

Let every man who believes in the democratic party go to city hall today or tomorrow and get registered. Then you can join the celebration of a great victory next December.

Another thing the republicans are doing is rushing in Nova Scotians without getting them naturalized by having them give their place of birth as some city or town in Maine. Three of these men have gone through the mill and their records are being looked up and trouble for them will result.

The whole affair shows conclusively how scared the republican managers are and how willing and ready they are to destroy the sacredness of the ballot, and deprive men of all fair, honest expressions of opinion.

Such action is in line with the infamous outrage committed by them on the democrats of Lowell when the gerrymander bill was pushed through a duped legislature by some of Lowell's leading republicans, including the three men who are now running for the republican mayoralty nomination.

The democracy of Lowell has a duty to perform that should impel them to exert one united effort for the party's success. If you know any democrat whose name is not on the list, use every means in your power to get him to City Hall, where he can be registered in a few moments.

Registration will close next Thursday and this duty must be attended to at once.

The democrats of Ward One held a big meeting last night in Jackson hall. Patrick Owen presided and John Cargig was secretary. It was voted to spend the time in working up registration and a district was apportioned to each rallying committee.

Friends of John Wilson had a meeting in Runels' hall last night. F. E. Saunders presided. The sentiment prevailed that Mr. Lawton should withdraw.

Tonight the democrats of Ward Four wil lmeet in the Lyon street ward room and those of Ward Three at the committee headquarters.

Editor of The Sun—Will you please allow me a show in your straight democratic paper to say a few words for a straight democratic young man, M. F. O'Brien, who seeks the democratic nomination for the Council from Ward Two. Voters of this ward will make no mistake if they select at their caucus this young man to represent their interests in the Council. Mr. O'Brien is a bright young man and a good talker. Some years ago he was prominent in labor circles and I happened to hear him make a vigorous appeal for unity in all labor matters when he was a delegate to the convention. He is a plain forcible talker and he is a good parliamentarian and if elected will not be afraid to talk to his republican brethren.

Mr. M. F. O'Brien is prominent in temperance and local organizations and the voters of Ward Two will not regret it if they vote for Mr. O'Brien and as I hear he is going to win the nomination. Do not forget my friend, Mr. O'Brien, at the caucus, Friday, November 26. He is a product of your public schools and had a course at one of the business colleges. I, for one, will cast my ballot for this gentleman and if I had ten I would do the same and there will be many more of our young men who are only too glad to do so.

—French-American.

Editor of The Sun—Having for the last week seen in your paper the merits of the different candidates for office, presented to the public by their friends with your permission I would like space to say a few words in behalf of and for Mr. John Donlon, candidate for the Common Council from Ward Two. Now, as the democratic party is represented in the Common Council by a small but respectable minority, it behooves the voters of Ward Two and I might say all the other wards, to send the best men available, men fully able in all that goes to make a champion of the people's rights, to cope with the republican majority. One well schooled in parliamentary law; one ready in debate; one wideawake to the city's needs; one to oppose with firmness all schemes and jobbery is what the party wants. Knowing that Mr. Donlon fills the above requirements, I feel that he is worthy of the support of all democrats in Ward Two. To elect him is to know his worth and ability.

—Old Democrat.

Wm. J. McCluskey, Esq., is a candidate for the Common Council in Ward Five. Mr. McCluskey is one of our bright young men. He is a native of Lowell and a graduate of our public schools. He is a young man of intelligence and good, sound common sense and will make an honest and upright member of the city government, if nominated and elected.

THE FINAL SERVICE

Over Remains of Patrick Corcoran This Morning.

LARGE GATHERING AT IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CHURCH

Many Beautiful Floral Offerings.

The funeral of the late Patrick Corcoran tok place this morning from the Immaculate Conception church. The cortege left the house on Fort Hill avenue at 8.30 and started for the church. The service was attended by many relatives and friends of the deceased. There were also present two Sisters of Charity from St. John's hospital, a delegation from the Master Builders, and representatives of the Foresters of America. Solemn high mass was celebrated by Rev. Fr. Reynolds, O.M.I., assisted by Rev. Fr. Gigault, O.M.I., deacon, and Rev. Fr. Stanley, O.M.I., of Dublin, sub-deacon. Rev. Fr. Gagnon, O.M.I., was master of ceremonies and Rev. Fr. Joyce, O.M.I., pastor of the church, occupied a seat in the sanctuary. The musical portion of the service was rendered by a choir of 40 voices and was as grand as anything ever heard on a similar occasion. The choir was directed by Prof. P. P. Haggerty and Mrs. Haggerty presided att he organ. Schmidt's requiem mass was sung and at the offertory Miss Louise McLaughlin, in her pleasing, strong soprano voice, rendered the "Pie Jesu." The solos in the Libera which were rendered at the conclusion of the service were sustained by Prof. Haggerty. With fine effect and in the clearest tones, T. F. Molloy sang the beautiful hymn, "No Cross, No Crown." A quartette selection, "O Paradise" was sung by Misses Louise McLaughlin, Nano Gallagher, Messrs. T. F. Molloy, and D. P. Martin. The final selection was "Rest, Spirit, Rest," by Miss Mabel Ware, assisted by the chorus. The pall bearers were Messrs. John O'Toole, Matthew Murphy, William Lawler, and Charles O'Donnell. The ushers were James McKeon and Thomas Lawler. The remains were interred in the Catholic cemetery and Undertaker Davey had charge of the burial. The funeral arrangements were in charge of James McKeon. There were many beautiful floral offerings, including a pillow, inscribed "Father;" a standing crescent with the inscription "Brother;" a standing wreath, from Mr. and Mrs. James Walsh; a pillow from the Master Builders' Exchange; a cross and crown inscribed "Rest" from J. E. Shanley; standing cross with the inscription "Rest" from O'Donnell & Gilbride; palms and chrysanthemums, Miss Burke; and several sprays of chrysanthemums.

Thomas Welch of this city was sent to jail to two months for drunkenness in the Lawrence police court Wednesday.

Mrs. Thomas Walpole of Syracuse, N. Y., is visiting her brother, Mr. M. J. Hennessey of Pleasant street.

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Two toned Boucle, silk lined, $8.00.
Braid and Fur Trimmed Capes, $1.98.
Boucle Capes, Thibet trimmed, $6.00.
Plush Capes, Fur trimmed, $3.98.
Monkey Collarettes, Electric Seal yoke, $5.75.
Baltic Seal Collarettes $1.75.
Electric Seal, Astrachan yoke Collarettes, $3.75.
Black Brocade Skirts 98c.
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Figured Mohair Skirts $2.50.
Lined Corduroy Blouses $3.25.
Handsome All Wool Plaid Waists $2.98.
Little Children's Long Coats, Fur trimmed, 99c.
Plaid Waists 98c.
Children's Woolen Plaid Dresses, lined, 79c.
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Hon. George A. Marden says the republicans want a mayor who has sand and he favors Col. Bennett, who uses this commodity largely in his business.

General Wannamaker, the greatest merchant in the country, is the latest to testify in favor of newspaper advertising. He says it has been one of the chief elements in his success.

A new discrepancy has been found in the caucus law in the fact that if the name of a caucus officer is used upon any ballot or committee even without the knowledge, he is ineligible.

Republicans are accused of fraudulent registration in making voters of men without waiting for the formality of getting naturalized. It is a serious charge and should be probed to the bottom.

Col. Bennett says the present city government is all right because it called for no loans. The records at city hall will show quite a number of loans contracted this year and the junket bill is yet unpaid.

"Ren" Smith is blacklisted because he voted for Dick Bray. "Ren" in so doing had an eye single to the interests of the city, something which is not very common with some of his republican colleagues.

Winchester blames a fire bug for the destruction of the Unitarian church, which was burned on Tuesday evening. The matter interests other cities as to whether the fire bug lives in Winchester or was merly a transient.

The republican opponents of Col. Bennett are straining every point to get Wilson out of the mayoralty fight in Lawton's interest. But Mr. Wilson claims he is stronger than Lawton and asks why does not Mr. Lawton draw out. He is the weakest man.

It is a very laudable act for the United States government to despatch an expedition to the Arctic seas for the relief of the ice bound whalers from New Bedford. It is doubtful, however, if the relief expedition will reach the suffering whalers alive.

A matrimonial agent is to take two or three hundred women to Alaska and find them husbands. The women who will start on such an expedition, of course, will not be very particular as to whether the husbands selected by this gentleman have wives in any other part of the country. They are not expected to be too inquisitive.

The crisis between Platt and the Citizens' movement in New York is now to be made more serious than ever by the effort to run Seth Low as candidate for governor. Mr. Low is in every way qualified to be governor of New York state and is certainly preferable to any man whom Mr. Platt is likely to select. By all means let Mr. Low be the candidate for governor and again defeat Mr. Platt's choice just as he did in the Greater New York.

The Hon. Joseph O'Neil is to nominate Mayor Quincy at the coming convention in Boston. Mr. O'Neil had the reputation of being in sympathy with the gold democrats, and it is quite right that he should be called upon to nominate Mayor Quincy. There is not much appearance of a Citizens' movement in the matter and there will be still less when the republicans shall have nominated their candidate.

Does any republican imagine that George T. Woodward can improve upon the work of Richard Bray as superintendent of lands and buildings? Nobody who knows Mr. Bray's ability as a superintendent and a workman will for a moment doubt that there is any other than the most unjustifiable political reasons for Bray's removal. Mr. Bray can stand up against the entire city and defy criticism of his department. He has kept within the appropriation and withal has performed excellent work. He has shown more for the money expended than has been shown in any other department. Mr. Bray's removal will be a serious loss to the city.

Notwithstanding the opposition to lynching that prevails here in New England, it would not be very hard to stir up the citizens to the lynching of a few criminals. A few sentences like that in the Kelley case would be sufficient for the purpose. Now suppose that Mrs. Nack and Martin Thorn should escape the electric chair who would have the hardihood to say that a party of citizens who should take into their own hands the matter of administering justice would commit a crime? Or assuming that Luetgert, the Chicago sausage manufacturer, is set at liberty, who could blame the outraged citizens of Chicago for inflicting summary punishment by hanging him to the nearest lamp post? A few flagrant miscarriages of justice in capital cases would suffice to establish lynch law even here in staid New England.

The headquarters of the Supreme Council of the A.P.A. at Washington have been closed and the furniture has been sold or returned to the mortgagees. What a calamity it must have been to the citizens of Washington and the nation at large to see their defenders vanish in the dead of night in such a mysterious manner. Verily, we are at the mercy of any enemy that may come along since this band of patriots has retired to their native obscurity.

The special sessions for naturalization afford those who are eligible an opportunity either to start on the road to citizenship or else to take out their final papers and become voters. It should be the ambition of every man who intends to make his home here to assume the prerogatives of citizenship as early as possible.

The sentences given the assailants of Officer Leighton will convince most people that it is unprofitable to fight with an officer and especially such an officer as Mr. Leighton. The law always sustains an officer attacked in the discharge of his duty.

DROWNING A HORSE.

TWO MEN DRIVE THE ANIMAL INTO THE RIVER.

A couple of remarkable individuals have just been found in South Lawrence.

Wednesday afternoon, some men around Toye's ice house on the south side of the river saw a man slowly unrobe himself on the banks of the Merrimack. When his last stitch of clothing was taken off, he went up to a poor, old broken down horse which was standing by, lame and spavined and almost transparent, and seizing him by the halter he led him into the water.

Out waded the man into the stream and led the horse after him. His purpose was to drown the animal, but his method of doing so was a very original one. When he got out to his neck, the water did not cover the horse's back and it was thought that he was about to push the animal over on to his side when the men at the ice house yelled for him to stop or else he would be arrested. The man in the water paid no attention to their warning, and so word was sent to the police station and Assistant Marshal Kline went over in the police wagon to the scene of the trouble but the men had dressed before he arrived and had gone down Merrimack street toward Kelly's horse undertaking establishment.

CRISP GOSSIP.

I know several well known young men of this city who pose as "bloods" of the first water are looked upon as being very swell. They receive invitations to many of the private parties, but I have noticed several times that they do not put out much money. They wait until a dance is well on, and then come in when the door-tender is not looking. They are always dressed well, so that they can go upon the dance floor. They seldom put out any money at a dance, for they even wait until after refreshment time before coming in. The people who are conducting dances are just at present getting on to this delegation.

The hunting season is not yet over, but the list of shooting fatalities grows each day. It is now as large as that which covers football from the time of its introduction into this country. But still we are waiting for the introduction of measures looking to prevent this "harmless" sport by either the Georgia legislature or the Chicago board of aldermen.

A friend of mine who travels a good deal said yesterday: "I had a somewhat amusing experience in Brockton last week. I was in North Easton, and I took the electric car for Brockton. I told the conductor I wanted to get the train for Boston and to let me off near the station. He said he would and I gave no further concern to the matter. As time went by, I thought the journey was longer than I expected and looking through the car window, I saw that we had left Brockton behind and were going out into the country on another route. I spoke to my friend, the conductor. He had entirely forgotten me and had carried me about two miles beyond my stopping place. "Never mind," he said "I will send you back on the car we meet at the next turnout." He told the conductor of the incoming car of his mistake, but, would you believe it, Conductor No. 2 carried me about half a mile beyond the depot on the other side and sooner than a third risk I walked back. I missed my train and was delayed an hour."

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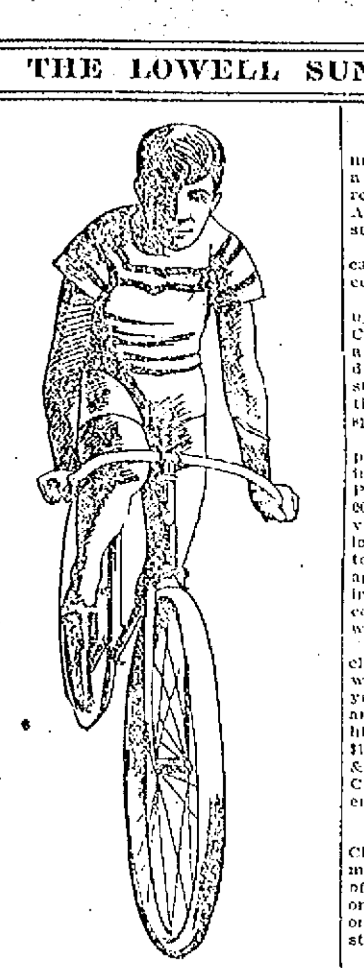

JIMMY MICHAEL, who will race for $50,000.

PERSONAL.

An original pension has been granted to Sybil D. Parsons of Lowell.

Mr. Robert Lord Burnap, traffic agent of the Central Vermont railroad, was in town yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Farrington and Miss Farrington have returned from a duck shooting trip on Cape Cod.

Mr. Perley Melvin, formerly of the Merrimack Print works, has accepted a position with some print works in Gloucester.

Included in the list of patents reported November 1, through the office of Crosby and Gregory, the Boston patent solicitors of Boston, is one for James T. Cowley of Lowell.

OFF FOR QUEENSTOWN.

The following Lowell people are booked through Murphy's steamship agency to leave Boston tomorrow on the Cunard Line steamer Cephalonia for the old country: Miss Bridget Rourke, Thomas Armstrong, Miss Annie O'Connor, Miss Susie O'Conor, and Ann Quinlan.

YESTERDAY'S FIRE.

The fire in Mr. Chadwick's house yesterday afternoon, as reported in our second edition of yesterday, was not destructive as was expected, although it burned for quite a while. The loss will not be heavy.

NICE ASSORTMENT OF CHILDREN'S LONG GARMENTS AT CHRIS. HOLMES', 124-126 MERRIMACK ST.

POST OFFICE RECEIPTS.

In the Washington correspondence a few days ago, the Philadelphia Record made a statement substantially as follows:

"In the last month the postal receipts of the Lowell post office have increased more than $70,000. The postmaster there has been asked for an explanation.

Of course the paper has made a big mistake. The receipts of September were $11,313, and $11,597 for October.

SUPERIOR COURT--GASKILL, J.

In the Superior court yesterday, nearly all the time was taken up with a Boston case involving the sale of a restaurant with a mortgage attached. Atkins vs. Chase. Decision was reserved.

About noon the uncontested divorce case of Hannah vs. Hannah, represented by J. F. Haskell, was taken up.

In the afternoon the time was taken up with the case of Gardner vs. Campbell, a claim of plaintiff, who is an architect, for compensation for drawing plans for a house on Agawam street. N. D. Pratt, Esq., for plaintiff, Hon. John H. Morrison for respondent.

The court has affirmed the claim of plaintiff in the case of Geo. W. Poole, inventor, vs. the Massachusetts Mohair Plush company. Plaintiff claims $35,000 in royalties, in that he was the inventor of improvements on certain looms the Plush company was starting to use. He was to be and was manager up to about a year ago. A pending matter with the Crompton Loom company also entered into the somewhat complicated case.

Respondents set up that plaintiff's claim was only good for five years. He was advised that it was good for ten years at least. He had been paid $2000 and under the decision of the court will his counsel says be entitled to recover $12,000 or $13,000 more. Burke, Marshall & Corbett for the plaintiff; Johnson, Clapp & Underwood for the respondents.

While in New York the past week, Chris Holmes, at 124 and 126 Merrimack street, closed out an entire stock of ladies' coats and capes at 45 cents on the dollar. Special sale now going on at his store, 124 and 126 Merrimack street.

A COLONIAL SOCIAL.

A very pretty colonial social was held last evening in the First Baptist church, under the direction of four of the Sunday school teachers.

CO. M. SHOOT.

The annual shoot and banquet of M Company, Ninth Regiment, Lowell City Guards, was held yesterday, the shoot at the rifle-range in the afternoon and the banquet at the St. Charles hotel in the vening. Lieutenant Gillon received first prize and Major Donovan of Lawrence getting the guests' first prize.

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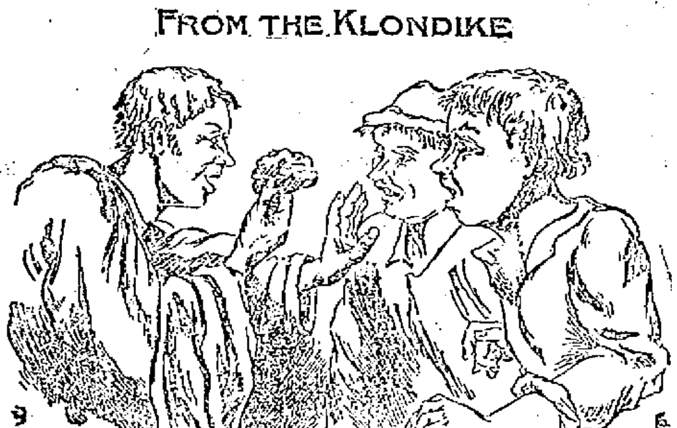

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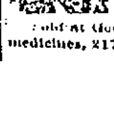

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MARTIN IMPRISONED.

In the advices from Australia, brought by the steamer Mariposa, which arrived yesterday from Sydney, via Honolulu, was the following:

At the Adelaide City police court, October 18, W. Martin, the Lowell cyclist, was sentenced to 11 days' imprisonment at hard labor for assaulting F. P. Ridley, a few days earlier. The bench refused to impose a fine.

NEW TAILORING ESTABLISHMENT.

J. B. Lablacheur the well known tailor, formerly in business at 453 Merrimack street and recently with Louis Alexander, has opened a tailoring establishment at 81 Merrimack street where he will be pleased to meet his former patrons and friends.

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We are already at work on quite a few.

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A Splendid Bargain in Children's Shoes for 65c. and 75c.
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The Men's Shoes we sell for $1.00 are worth $1.50.

It will pay you to look in our windows if you are coming down street today. We are constantly putting in small lots of shoes which we sell below cost.

WE GIVE TRADING COUPONS.

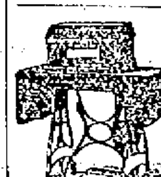
Boulger's White Shoe Stores

115 CENTRAL and 292 BRIDGE STS.

TEETH $5 to $10 a Set

No Charge For Extracting

Every set warranted to be the same teeth that other dentists ask $15 and $18 for, and every set warranted to fit. Gold Filling and Gold Crown work a specialty. Teeth filled with Gold by Electric city. No pain. Teeth Extracted Without Pain by our new method. Thirty years' experience. Artificial Teeth without plates; also Roofless Plates. Teeth extracted and replaced the same day as extracted—no need of going without. No Sunday work. Office hours: 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. Not open Evenings. DR. J. H. BICKELL & SON, Painless Dentists, Rooms 24, 25, 32, Runels' Bl'g, cor. Mer'k & Bridge



SPECIAL SALE OF SEWING MACHINES.

During the next 10 days we shall offer a regular $50 Sewing Machine, manufactured by the New Home Company, at the remarkably low price of $16.75. These Machines have all up-to-date Improvements, with a complete set of attachments and a 10 years' guarantee.

$16.75

Sold on 30 Day's Trial.

If not satisfactory, to be returned at our expense. It will pay you to see them.

RING'S BIG STORE,

Sewing Machines and Bicycles, 221, 229 Dutton Street.

N. Y. Cloak & Suit Co.

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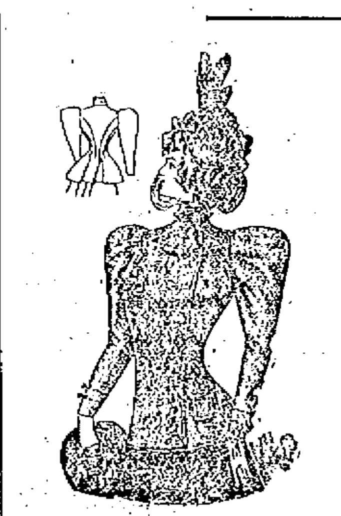

Thanksgiving BARGAINS

In order to reduce our enormous stock which at the present time is by far too large.

We have made sweeping reductions. All the newest and most popular sellers at

JANUARY PRICES.

JACKETS.

$5 Beaver Jackets, reduced price $2.43.
$6.15 Covert Cloth Jackets, reduced price $4.50.
$7.50 Boucle Jackets, reduced price $4.85.
$9.75 Boucle Jackets, reduced price $5.75.
$12.50 Cheviot Lined Jackets, reduced price $7.50.
$15.00 Caterpillar Boucle Jacket, reduced price $9.50.

CAPES.

Beaver Cape, neatly braided, reduced price $2.75.
30-inch Boucle Cape, full sweep, edged with Thibet, regular price $8.50, reduced price $4.95.

FURS. FURS.

Collarettes at $2.49, $2.75 and $2.98, reduced from $4.75, $4.95 and $5.75. [illegible]
30-inch Astrachan Fur Cape, full sweep, worth $10.75, reduced price $6.75.

Special values in Fur Jackets, Mackintoshes, Silk, Wool, and Velvet Waists, etc.

$1.00 PER WEEK PAYMENTS

WE HAVE THEM

Stylish Suits and Overcoats for the Men and Boys.

Capes, Jackets, Collarettes and Skirts for the Ladies' and Girls.

SOLD ON CREDIT.

Men's Nobby Suits $5 up.
Men's Nobby Overcoats $6 up.
Custom Made Suits $15 up.
Ladies' Jackets $5 up.

No need for anyone to freeze trying to save enough to buy your winter outfit, as our terms will enable you to buy now and pay for goods while wearing them.

EMPIRE CREDIT CLOTHING CO., Over 97 Central St. Open Evenings.

The Prices of the Best Grades of WATCHES Have advanced, but we are selling lower than ever before for cash. Call and get our prices.

J. D. Grant, Practical Watchmaker, 54 Merrimack Street. Particular attention given to Watch Repairing.

Notice. For the next 15 days, A. M. Bertrand, the tailor will make his $22 Suits for $15, his $28 Suits for $20, his $30 Suits for $22. Trousers from $4 upwards. Cleaning, pressing and repairing done at short notice.

A. M. BERTRAND, 24 Middle St. Few doors from the corner of Central St.

TO LET—Suite of rooms on first floor of O'Donnell & Gilbride Co.'s Building, corner of Merrimack and Palmer streets. Suitable for a physician. Apply at once.

O'DONNELL & GILBRIDE CO., Merrimack, Palmer and Middle Sts.

A MIGHTY NOVEMBER UNLOADING DISPOSING OF OVERSTOCK AT FROM 25 TO 50 PER CENT. BELOW REAL WORTH.

Marvelous Thanksgiving Offerings Today!!

In our Basement Department, in our Furniture Department, in our Linen Department, in our Cloak and Suit Department, in every department of our mammoth establishment. There is no house in New England where you can get as much for your money as you can at our store today. Every price you see here proves our power at bargain giving.

COME TODAY. POST YOURSELF ON VALUES. LESSONS DAILY THAT MEAN A BIG SAVING TO YOU.

NAPKINS

At the Greatest BARGAIN PRICES Ever Quoted.

100 dozen 5-8 Napkins, regular $1 grade, at 49 cents per dozen.
75 dozen 3-4 Napkins, regular $1.50 and $1.75 grade, at 98 cents per dozen.
50 dozen extra size and extra quality Napkins, worth $2.25 and $2.50, at $1.50 per dozen.

Towels, Doylies.

100 dozen regular 17 cent Towels, for a few days at 10 cents each.
75 dozen regular 25 cent Towels, for a few days at 12½ cents each.
75 dozen regular 50 cent Towels, for a few days at 49 cents each.
200 dozen Doylies, usually sold at $1, during these two days 50 cents per dozen.
100 dozen Stamped Doylies, regular prices 5 to 10 cents, at 3 cents each.

Furniture Dept.

Goods that are as good as they are cheap.

Goods must be right in style, quality workmanship and finish and low in price to be classed as bargains in this store.

Sideboards.

17 oak sideboards 45 inches wide, elegantly polished has mirror 28 by 16. Silver drawer lined, cast brass trimmings, a $22.00 board for $15.00 each.
10 solid oak sideboards, 4 feet wide, elaborately carved and finished. French plate mirror and considered good value at $27.60, down to $18.00 each.
12 quartered oak sideboards, 4 feet wide, finely carved, French plate mirror, 40 by 18. These boards are made from selected quartered oak and the cabinet work and finish are high grade. Price for this sale, $25.00 each.
1 lot of 6 feet sideboards, same grade as above lot and sold to date, $45.00. Down to $38.00 each.

Dining Tables.

25 Oak Extension Tables, 6 feet long, polished top, strongly constructed, a $6.00 value at $3.99 each.
25 Oak Extension Tables, 8 feet long, carved claw feet, polished finish, a $10.00 table, at $6.87 each.
16 Dining Tables very heavy constructed, 8 feet long, 46x45 when closed, a $14.00 article, at $9.00 each.
17 Dining Tables, carved by hand, with large claw feet—8 feet long, a regular $16.00 table, at $10.00 each.

Dining Chairs.

20 dozen high back, cane seat, brace arm dining chair, sold to date, $1.40, down to 87c. each.
15 dozen very high back chairs, elaborately carved back, finely finished, down to $1.25 each.
10 dozen box seat Dining Chairs, polished finish, fine cane seat, a $2.00 chair at $1.50 each.
5 dozen box seat Dining Chairs, upholstered in best quality leather, a $3.50 chair, at $2.60 each.

China Closets.

15 Oak China Closets. made from choicest quartered oak polished inside and outside, an extraordinary value, at $13.50 each.
11 China Closets, 4 feet wide, round ends and quartered oak adjustable shelves. French bevel mirror on top, actual worth $30.00, down to $19.00 each.

Several Lots of Winter Underwear and Hosiery.

Corsets and Petticoats, Blankets, Comforters and Flannels, Dress Goods, Silks and Velvets, will be offered the next two days at from 25 to 40 per cent. below real worth.

COATS, CAPES, FURS, SKIRTS AND WAISTS.

Pricing for Thanksgiving Trading.

Chic outer garments—peerless in make, mode and materials, specially bought and specially priced, to cost you even less than you can buy them in Boston.

JACKETS.

$4.75 for elegant up-to-date coats, in black and colors, made a finished equal to any sold this season, by any house in America for $8.00 each.
$7.50 for real $12.50 Box Coats. Made from the two best cloak materials. Boucle and Kersey, new shield front and high storm collars, lined throughout with colored satins, and in black or colored materials.
$10.00 for regular $15.00 and $18.00 coats Surpassing all former efforts at $10, with several correct styles which in point of style, material, fit and workmanship and sterling value have no equals in Lowell or Boston. Made of imported Kersey and Boucles, black, blue, tan, green and brown, plain and velvet inlaid storm collars, lined throughout with heavy satin and Roman striped taffetas, every garment made by men tailors.

CAPES.

$5.50 for a $8.50 Cape. Kersey and Boucle, Capes, correct length and sweep, high storm collar, edged with Thibet fur and thoroughly well tailored.
$7.50 for a $12.50 Plush Cape. A limited quantity of these Capes, both plain and braided, in two different lengths, and with an extra sweep.

Electric Seal Coats

We are headquarters for New England on these very popular Coats, and are showing several legths and styles with plain and fancy linings, from $17.50 to $55 each.

Collarettes.

Every style and every grade of Fur, from $1.98 to $25.00 each.

WAISTS.

In Flannel, Serge, Mohair, Silk, Velvets, Cashmere, Plaids and Solid Colors, from 98 cents upwards.

Basement Dept.

Everything needed for Kitchen or Dining at prices so low as to make this the BARGAIN EVENT OF THE SEASON.

Dinner Sets.

30 English Stone China Sets, 112 pieces in each set assorted color decorations, a $10.00 value, at $5.89 per set.
15 Gold Traced 112 piece Dinner Sets, a regular $15.00 set at $10.59 per set.
18 Colonial Blue 112 piece Dinner Sets usual price $20.00, at $14.00 per set.
16 Antique Blue 112 Piece Dinner Sets, regular $23.00 sets, at $17.00 per set.

Tea Sets.

56 piece Tea Sets, assorted decorations, at $2.89 per set.
56 piece American China Tea Sets, a regular $8.00 value, at $1.89 per set.
56 piece French China Tea Sets, a regular $10.00 value, at $5.89 per set.
56 piece Haviland Tea Set, a regular $17.00 value, at $12.89 per set.

SUNDRY CROCKERY BARGAINS

10 inch Yellow Lipped Bowls, down to 17 cents each.
12 inch Yellow Lipped Bowls, down to 27 cents each.
10 inch Yellow Nappies down to 9 cents each.
12 inch Yellow Nappies down to 13 cents each.
12 inch Round or Square Dishes, down to 39 cents each.
14 inch Round or Square Dishes down to 49 cents each.

SUNDRY CROCKERY BARGAINS

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Handled Custard Cups, down to 69 cents per dozen.
Blue Edge Pie Plates, any size for 5 cents each.
Rice Plates, any size (white) for 6 cents each.
10 inch Decorated Platters, 20 cent values down to 13 cents each.
Decorated Bone Plates, 10 cent values down to 5 cents each.

Fish, Berry and Ice Cream Sets

13 piece Berry Sets, a regular $2.00 value, at $1.39 per set.
13 piece Ice Cream Sets, a regular $7.50 value, at $4.59 per set.
14 piece Fish Sets, a regular $10.00 value, at $6.98 per set.

GLASS WARE.

THANKSGIVING PRICES.

14 inch Glass Punch Bowl on foot a $2.50 value, at $1.69 each.
10 inch Glass Punch Bowl, footed a $1.25 value, at 89 cents each.
8 inch Footed Berry Bowls, regular value 50 cents, down to 29 cents each.
9 inch Footed Berry Bowls, regular value 59 cents, down to 39 cents each.
Blown Plain Tumblers, regular price 60 cents, down to 39 cents per dozen.
Blown Banded Tumblers, regular price 75 cents, down to 49 cents each.
Blown Engraved Tumblers, regular price 85 cents, down to 60 cents each.
Pressed Tumblers, ribbed bottoms, 2 cents each.
Glass Lemon Squeezers 5 cents each.

KNIVES, FORKS, SPOONS

At Thanksgiving Prices.

Rogers' Nickel Tea Spoons at 89 cents per dozen.
Bone Handled Knives and Forks at 39 cents per dozen.
Bone Handled Butcher Knives at 19 cents each.
Wood Handled Bread Knives at 5 cents each.
Rogers' Oyster Forks at $1.39 per set.

KNIVES, FORKS, SPOONS.

(CONTINUED)

Rogers' Nut Sets, 7 pieces, $1.39 per set.
Rogers' Dessert Spoons at $1.49 per dozen.
Rogers' Tea Spoons at $1.69 per dozen.
Rogers' Nickel Forks and Table Spoons at $1.89 per dozen.
Rogers' Orange Spoons at $2.19 per set.
Rogers' Nickel Knives at $2.39 per dozen.
Rogers' Dessert Spoons and Forks at $3.29 per dozen.
Rogers' Table Spoons and Forks at $3.39 per dozen.
Rogers' Table Knives at $2.98 per dozen.

Kitchen Sundries.

Crimped Loaf Pans 17 cents each.
Nut Crackers 15 cents each.
Vitor Flour Sieves 7 cents each.
Protection Pie Plates, lift out bottom 7 cents each.
The simple double Turkey Roasters 23 cents a pair.
The Boston Self Basting Turkey Roasters 29 cents a pair.
11x16 Sheet Iron Drip Pans 13 cents each.
12x17 Sheet Iron Drip Pans 17 cents each.
13x19 Sheet Iron Drip Pans 19 cents each.
10 Quart Bread Raisers 23 cents each.
The Celebrated Gem Raisin Seeder 39 cents each.
The Celebrated Dover Egg Beater 7 cents each.
No. 7 Nickel Tea Kettles, all one piece 69 cents each.

Linen Dept.

Some surprising BARGAINS here TODAY and TOMORROW.

Here are Linens fresh from the loom, with more chic and elegance, more new designs and superior weaving qualities than have ever been shown in Lowell at these marvelously low prices.

Linen Dept.

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At 25 cents per yard, we offer 25 pieces half bleached and silver bleached Linen in an exquisite assortment of patterns. These goods are 56 inches wide and usually retail at 39 cents per yard.

At 39 cents per yard, 20 pieces of silver bleached Linen, 68 inches wide, in the very newest and most elegant designs shown this season. These goods are actually worth 60 cents per yard today.

At 69 cents per yard, 30 pieces of bleached and silver bleached extra heavy Linens, 65 inches wide, in Shamrock, Thistle, Rose and Fern patterns, and every piece of this lot is actually worth $1 per yard.

At 98 cents per yard, 15 pieces of extra fine Linens in exclusive patterns, 72 inches wide, the most elegant thing that has ever been offered over any retail counter and was actually imported to retail at $1.60 per yard. We have also different size Napkins in stock to match these patterns.

We place on sale today 75 Linen Table Sets, comprising the cover and napkins to match. These goods are extra fine quality in plain white and white with colored borders. The sizes are 10-8 and 12-4 covers, and the napkins are 5-8 size, and the goods were made to retail from $5 to $7.60, but we will offer them in this Thanksgiving sale divided into two lots at the ridiculously low prices of $2.60 and $3.98 per set.

Colored Damask.

15 pieces of Turkey Red Damask, fast color, good assortment of patterns, at 19 cents per yard.

17 pieces of heavy Turkey Red Damask, 60 inches wide, in blocks, figure and scroll patterns. We warrant the colors perfectly fast, guaranteed to boil without fading and made to retail at 50 cents. Price for two days, 39 cents per yard.

20 pieces of best quality German Damask, in two toned combinations and solid colors, a regular $1.50 grade, at 60 cents per yard.

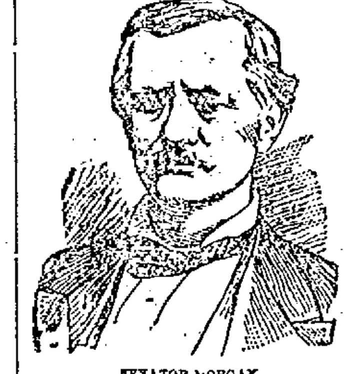
O'DONNELL & GILBRIDE CO., Merrimack, Palmer and Middle Streets

AS TO NATIONAL DUTY

And What it is in Connection With the Hawaiian Question.

Senator Morgan Favors the Annexation—A Profitable Investment for the Expenditure of Millions.

Washington, Nov. 19.—Senator Morgan of Alabama, member of the committee on foreign relations, has reached here on his way back from Honolulu, where he went to post himself on the annexation question. In an interview on the results of his trip he said: "My conclusions, based on my observations, are only a confirmation of what I had previously believed—that it is our national duty and will be in every way advantageous to all concerned to annex Hawaii to this country. I have studied the question from the most authentic and reliable sources. The establishment of an outpost of the United States within the tropics and 2000 miles from our coast challenges the inquiry whether such action is necessary to our national welfare. Our northwestern possessions on the Pacific, along the Aleutian archipelago, are over 1000 miles west of Honolulu. This gives us control of practically the entire American coast of the north Pacific. The intervention of the British possessions from the straits of Fuca to the northern boundary of Alaska creates a powerful reason for our occupation of Hawaii. Without imputing to Great Britain any other motive than to extend her national policy of commercial inquest, it seems very obvious that if she should acquire dominion of Hawaii and open and fortify Pearl harbor, her military fortress at Esquimault, on the island of Vancouver, co-operating, she would cut our coast line in two and leave us incumbered with a mass of territory in Alaska whose defense would be almost impossible and the famous advantage of which would be lost to us. The Vancouver coal fields would give the British navy almost irresistible advantage in war and virtual dominion of commerce in time of peace.



SENATOR MORGAN.

"The 31,000 native people of Hawaii are far better adapted to American citizenship than many millions of those whom we have welcomed here from southern Europe, and better adapted than the Indians, Mexicans and native Alaskans. Except among the few who expect personal favors and advancement from re-establishment of the royal government, the general body of the Hawaiian population will rejoice in the honor, safety, peace and prosperity which annexation will bring. Morally and practically, the silent invasion of Hawaii from the orient (the Japanese) violates all the declared policies and often expressed purpose of the United States to protect those people against foreign interference. The island as a national possession would richly reward us for an expenditure of $100,000,000. The annexation would cost us nothing and will not at present excite the open opposition of any nation."

Oh, How They Hurt.

Neuralgic pains are often so acute, that the poor sufferer becomes, almost, frenzied with the intensity of the pain, Salvation Oil will instantly relieve and effectually cure neuralgia, so there is no reason why a moment's pain should be endured. Mr. Jacob Klein, 1030 Main St., Evansville, Ind., writes: "My wife suffered from neuralgia for seven years and since she used Salvation Oil, she has not had a spell. I think it is the best liniment I have ever tried, and I would not be without a bottle of it in the house. I had the rheumatism for five years and had tried a great many liniments, and must say that Salvation Oil did me more good than any other remedy." Salvation Oil is sold everywhere for 25 cents.

THEY WONDER WHY

Jacob Doll is selling so many PIANOS. The reason why is plain. The quality is up, the price is down, the touch is wonderful, the tone is powerful, the scale is perfect, the cases are up-to-date and forty other reasons. Jacob Doll High Grade Pianos, 3 2 Merrimack street, Associate Building, opp. City Hall, Sam L. Orr, Manager.

COUNTERFEITS DISCOVERED.

Washington, Nov. 19.—The secret service bureau announces the discovery of a new counterfeit $10 silver certificate and also a counterfeit national bank note. The certificate is a photographic production printed on two pieces of paper pasted together. No attempt has been made to color the back of the note, which is a shade of brown instead of green. The seal is colored a bright pink. The note is badly printed and the lathe work is blurred and indistinct.

The national bank note is on the First National of Joplin, Missouri, series 1882. It is also printed on two pieces of paper, and the silk fibre in the genuine is imitated by pen and ink marks.

WEYLER'S DECREE ON TOBACCO.

Washington, Nov. 19.—Dupuy De Lome, the Spanish minister, had a long conference with Assistant Secretary Day yesterday, and it is believed that the Spanish government is voluntarily about to remove another troublesome factor from the field of negotiations by revoking the decree made by General Weyler against the exportation of tobacco from Cuba. This prohibition has worked great hardship upon American cigar interests, and up to this time all efforts of the state department to secure an amelioration of the harsh conditions of the decree have been unavailing.

EMPLOYES MUST SETTLE.

Washington, Nov. 19.—The secretary of the treasury has issued a circular to employes to the effect that clerks receiving a stated salary who neglect to pay their debts contracted for the necessary support of themselves and their families, without presenting satisfactory reasons therefor, will not be retained in office.

consumption reaps his richest harvest where diseases of the throat and lungs are neglected.

HALE'S HONEY OF HOREHOUND AND TAR

If you have ever tried Hale's Honey of Horehound and Tar you know what a safeguard it is against throat and lung troubles. Sold by druggists.

Pike's Toothache Drops cure in one minute.

MT. HOLYOKE COLLEGE

The Sixteenth Anniversary Observed by Many of the Alumnae.

Founder Lyon is Designated Blessed—A Letter From Queen Victoria—Congratulations From all Points.

South Hadley, Mass., Nov. 19.—Thursday was founder's day at Mt. Holyoke college. The contrast between the day and the celebration of a year ago could scarcely be greater. Then the guests and students arrived through a pouring rain at the Congregational church, where the disastrous fire was related anew and the cornerstone of Mary Brigham hall was laid by proxy, the rain preventing the audience from going to the building. The campus was a scene of desolation, the ruins had not been cleared away, and the students were rooming far and near in the houses of the townspeople. Almost as if by magic, six beautiful buildings have arisen, surrounded by well arranged walks and lawns. Last spring was dedicated the first domitory completed, Mary Brigham hall, a gift of the New York alumnae in honor of Mary Brigham, who was elected the first president of the college, and who died before entering upon the duties of the office.

Many alumnae and friends came from long distances to attend the sixteenth anniversary, and rejoice together over the joyful present and hopeful future. The music was furnished by the college choral club and a selected choir.

Rev. Judson Smith, in his memorial address, said: "If Abraham was called of God, if Moses fulfilled a divine mystery, if our Washington was the man for the hour, if Elizabeth was set of God for the blessing of England; Mary Lyon was a providential woman for her place and work. We give praise to God when we rise up and call her blessed. The central and supreme force in the beginning of this enterprise was that remarkable, that providential woman whom we honor today. The seminary was born in her heart and brain, and bore her mark, and was filled and shaped by her thoughts and life up to the day of her death. It was her personality and power that drew together and held together the forces, men, means, patronage and public favor, which made the seminary possible and gave it permanent power. Others might have thought out a plan for such a school, but no one else would have taken it upon the heart so as to persuade others of its importance and feasibility; no one else would have breasted the opposition it aroused and undertaken the labors of solicitation and building involved, as she did, and have carried them through to success."

The memorial anthem by the choir was from S. P. Tuckerman. Mrs. Helen M. Gulliver, graduate in 1857, teacher from 1857 to 1867, and principal of the seminary until 1872, gave the dedicatory address of Safford and Porter halls. E. S. Morris of Munroe spoke of his personal contact with Deacon Porter. A communication was read from Queen Victoria's private secretary, in reply to a greeting sent to her by the trustees on her diamond anniversary last June. The communication came through the American ambassador, Henry White, and stated that the queen was much touched by the sentiment, therein expressed

Miss A. M. Hune, graduate of '88, gave the dedicatory address for Dr. Pearsons, the donor of Pearsons hall. Dr. Pearsons has recently presented this building to the alumnae association of the northwest. Miss Dixon, graduate of '80 and librarian of the university of Chicago, spoke in behalf of the alumnae which she represents.

The last address, the dedication of J. D. Rockefeller hall, was by Rev. F. L. Goodspeed of Springfield, who said: "Almost appaling is the time of ours in its awful need, and yet sublime in its call to all who would debar mammon, the least-erect spirit that fell from heaven, from unsurpation of the heart, and be true to the splendid demands of the christian stewardship. Works like these are the only imperishable work. These buildings may crumble at the touch of time, but the things they stand for will live after these mountains cease to smile in summer's sun and to glitter in winter's snowy crown, live after the river yonder has ceased to flow onward to the sea, live in thousands of souls fashioned to the highest type of culture and the finest issues of character, and graduated to the nobler forms of knowledge and service in the school of the incomparable Teacher."

Dr. Judson Smith read a statement that the $150,000 endowment fund which was being raised was completed within $35,000, and that the alumnae hoped to have that amount raised by January, 1898. Telegrams of greeting were received from Mills college faculty of California, Miss Frances E. Willard and Miss A. J. Gordon. The exercises closed with a dedicatory prayer by President Seelye of Smith college, and an anthem by the choir.

SHERIDAN'S CONDITION POWDER

It will keep your chickens strong and healthy. It will make young pullets lay early. Worth its weight in gold for moulting hens, and prevents all diseases. It is absolutely pure. Highly concentrated. In quantity costs only a tenth of a cent a day. No other kind like it.

NOTHING ON EARTH WILL MAKE HENS LAY LIKE SHERIDAN'S CONDITION POWDER

Therefore, no matter what kind of food you use, mix with it daily Sheridan's Powder. Otherwise, your profit this fall and winter will be lost when the price for eggs is very high. It assures perfect assimilation of the food elements needed to produce health and form eggs. It is sold by druggists, grocers, feed dealers or by mail.

If you can't get it send to us. Ask first. One pack. 25 cts. five $1. Large 2-lb. can $1.20. Six cans Exp. paid. Sample of Best Poultry Paper sent free. I. S. JOHNSON & CO., 22 Custom House St., Boston, Mass.

AN ANTI-FOOTBALL MEASURE.

Atlanta, Nov. 19. — Representative Cole's football bill, providing for the prohibition of the playing of match or exhibition games where admission is charged, passed the senate yesterday. The measure now awaits the approval of the governor. There is no doubt but that he will sign it.

HAD QUARRELED OVER MONEY.

Benton Harbor, Mich., Nov. 19.—Henry Kammerer shot his father at their home yesterday. The son then set fire to the house and killed himself. The father was rescued from the fire, but died later. The tragedy resulted from a quarrel over money matters.

SCORES IN POLO GAMES.

New Bedford—Providence, 9; New Bedford, 2.
Portland—Lewiston, 8; Portland, 2.
Rockland—Rockland, 9; Gardiner, 3.
Salem—Salem, 9; Fall River, 6.
Wallingford—New Britain, 12; Wallingford, 0.

QUIBBLE DID NOT WORK.

Boston, Nov. 19.—The full bench of the supreme court holds that Jennie C. Wall of Franklin is entitled to recover $6939 from the receivers of the New York and New England railroad. The action was brought under the public statutes to recover the value of a house, barn and other buildings owned by the plaintiff which were destroyed by fire in May, 1891, caused by sparks from a locomotive on the defendant railroad. The respondents, who were appointed by the United States circuit court, claimed that as receivers they were not liable to the plaintiff; that the liability was upon the railroad itself.

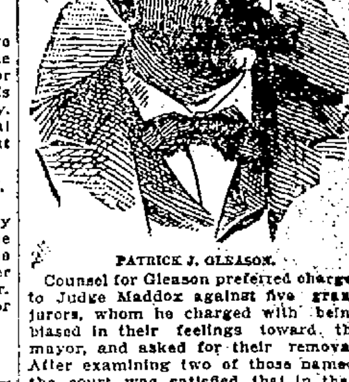
JURORS BIASED

Grand Jury of Queens County, N. Y.

DISCHARGED BY THE SUPREME COURT YESTERDAY.

They Include Mayor Gleason of L. I. City.

New York, Nov. 19.—Queens county is without a grand jury. That body was dismissed yesterday by Supreme Court Justice Maddox on the ground that it was illegally constituted. Indictments were not dismissed, and they will be passed upon by a new grand jury. Among those indicted were members of the water board of Long Island City, including Mayor Gleason. They pleaded not guilty.



PATRICK J. GLEASON.

Counsel for Gleason preferred charges to Judge Maddox against five grand jurors, whom he charged with being biased in their feelings toward the mayor, and asked for their removal. After examining two of those named, the court was satisfied that in their cases the allegations of counsel for the defendants were true, and accordingly excused them. This left but 15 grand jurors, while 16 are required for a quorum. Therefore the judge was obliged to dismiss the panel.

MISDIRECTED CENSURE.

Cambridge, Mass., Nov. 19.—Never before has a Harvard team been under more serious criticism than were the men who tied Yale last week. The general opinion is that the sharp censure of individual players has not only been misdirected, but where it was originally called for it has been painfully overdone. The players have seemed to recognize the justice of much that has been said, and have taken it to heart. The result is that they have a double end in view on Saturday, and whether they win or lose in Philadelphia they can be counted on to play a fierce game to the end.

THE PASSING SHOW

A Glance at Theatricals in Gotham Town.

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New York, Nov. 20.—Cissy Fitzgerald has once more gone bounding over the country in "The Foundling." This time her tour is under the direction of Will A. McConnell, the irrepressible and astute manager who has handled everybody from Robert Downing to Richard Mansfield. Cissy is going to play a short season only and of one night stands. I think she will make some money.

Speaking of McConnell, two years ago he was the bitterest enemy of the Hayman-Frohman-Nixon-Zimmerman syndicate in America. He has changed his mind, though, and in talking to me the other day said:

"Well, I've come to the conclusion that the theatrical syndicate is a good thing. When it was first organized I kicked harder than any seven men on Broadway, but in the last six months I have had a whole lot of dealings with the gentlemen who hold the reins, and I've found them to be fair, square and above board in all their dealings. Of course Mr. Frohman, Mr. Hayman and the rest are not in the theatrical business for their health; if so, they'd have doctors at their bedside every moment.

"They have got the system of booking down to a nicety, and they do not play one farce comedy against another, nor a comic opera against a lyric organization. No. They keep them separate and apart and keep their theaters booked up. They do not string people into playing bad territory just to fill time. They tell you the truth, and you do not have to accept their terms or contracts. Traveling managers are getting a run for their money.

"The office of the syndicate in New York is alive to the fact that there are several drones running theaters throughout the country, but as soon as they sign with a combination the local managers have got to get a move on and clean up their houses and advertise the attractions both in the newspapers and on the walls to the limit.

"As I said before, I would rather do business with one man than to go against local managers, whose only excuse for being in the business is that their fathers were in it before them."

But Cissy Fitzgerald and Will A. McConnell are not the only comets on the New York theatrical horizon. There are others. Of course you have heard something about Anna Held dropping out of the cast of "La Poupee" and into a lawsuit and of Hammerstein's failure. That fellow Hammerstein is never happy unless he's in court either as a defendant or prosecutor. Oscar thought that Anna was overtaxing herself, so without consulting her he put on an understudy for a matinee performance. Anna rebelled, and Florence Ziegfeld, Jr., her manager, instantly severed all connection with the volatile ruler of Olympia. And then Oscar made an assignment and closed his doors.

Ziegfeld is a young but very shrewd business man, with a cool head and a daring mind. If he concludes one of these days that he wishes to do something besides confine himself to one attraction, you will see without very much delay that he is a strong, self reliant and able player in the game of theatrical management. As for Hammerstein, he is one of the men you cannot resist admiring for his achievements, his independence of spirit and his tireless and many sided genius. Nor can you avoid being drawn to him by ties of friendship when you are made acquainted with his kindness of heart, the boyish simplicity of his character and the quick responsiveness of his sympathy.

Just what will become of "La Poupee" it is difficult at this moment to foretell. There are several people who think they would like to buy it, and I presume Hammerstein, whose experience with it has been so unhappy, would be quite willing to sell it at a fair price. Miss Held, of course, is all right so far as her season is concerned. She is under contract to Ziegfeld, who pays her a fixed weekly salary and takes the chance of making a profit by securing larger terms than he gives. The vaudeville theaters were all glad enough to meet his price for her services the moment they learned she was out with Hammerstein, but Ziegfeld put her into Koster & Bial's, probably to show the difference between Anna and Merode and possibly to spite Hammerstein.

Then there was the Banda Rossa. Following Miss Held's lead, it deserted the Messrs. Carl and Theodore Rosenfeld and on Sunday, Oct. 31, at the Metropolitan Opera House, went on a strike, and the audience had to be dismissed. Oh, things are getting very warm in the old town!

"The Telephone Girl" will not be produced until Dec. 6 after all. The opening performances, however, will be given on that date in Washington, as originally designed. The postponement is occasioned by the fact that Gustave Kerker is composing a practically new score, and Hugh Morton is making extensive changes in the libretto. None of the original French lyrics and very little of the music will be used. Louis Mann and Clara Lipman, who are to play the two most important characters in the production, will probably remain with "The Girl From Paris" until the end of Thanksgiving week.

Julia Arthur in "A Lady of Quality" appears to have settled down to a substantial success at Wallack's. Maude Adams has had to move down to the Garrick in order to permit John Drew to occupy the stage of the Empire. "A Stranger In New York" has gone to Hoyt's. "Miss Francis of Yale" has followed "The First Born" at the Manhattan, and May Irwin is getting ready to invade the Bijou. Richard Mansfield, Sol Smith Russell and Nat Goodwin are all doing well.

By the way, speaking of Nat, Hugh Morton says: "A correspondent writes to me to say that Miss Maxine Elliott, whose beauty takes rank with the Washington arch and Grant's tomb, was on one occasion seen here on the stage in untrammeled and unscreened glory. It was in the ill fated 'Voyage of Suzette,' I am assured, and the revelation of the play and of the Maxine privacies cost Mr. T. Henry French the musical sum of $65,000. I think that I recall 'The Voyage of Suzette;' but, strangely enough, I do not recall what must have been the great feature of the show. Can it be that that feature was so unimpressive that it readily faded from the memory? I can hardly credit the idea. Miss Elliott, dressed in what is termed a 'boy's costume'—presumably because a boy never wears anything like it—must have rested upon the memory like the vision of Mont Blanc or the grandeur of the Chicago fair."

It surely was another Elliott that was in "The Voyage of Suzette," or if it was the same then her immaturity interfered with the value of her outlines, and she was not then what a later diet of oatmeal and cream and rose leaves has made her. I continue to want to see her as Romeo. If she is recorded in the minds of some men as she is in my correspondent's mind, as lacking the more delicious essentials of great beauty, all the more is it desirable that she should seek to efface this impression by divulging the truth in the full glare of the limelight. Let it be at a matinee, when we can all be there and dine afterward at the Waldorf. If there is time to communicate, I know of a party of Americans now in Venice who would like to come home and look upon the mysterious extremes of Maxine's extremities. I await information from her managers. May I cable to the people in Venice?

FRANK CONNELLY.

Popular Songs Short Lived.

Perhaps not one of the songs of the moment will live, though the rising generation will more or less dimly remember them always. Each one of them is a kind of reminder of some time that went before it, and it will be the fittest, the really most original and salient of the resembling tunes which will be the one to live. The succession of tunes remaining in any one's recollection is like the succession of human acquaintances. Some stand out boldly and ineffaceably in the memory, having something, either in their own quality or in our sympathy with them, to command our thoughts and hold our sense; others, meaning not much to us, soon slip their moorings in our souls and drift out to the sea of oblivion. We take up a friend as we pick up a tune, because other people we know are taking him up, but in due time if he does not accord with our own internal harmonies he is forgotten.

WHO THEY ARE.

Some Well Known Theatrical People Up to Date.

For the benefit of the stage door Johnnies, the following information has been especially compiled. The list, however, is only up to date, and many changes will undoubtedly occur before it possibly can be revised. Ladies of the stage believe implicitly in marriage. They like to marry early and often:

A.

Maude Adams is a daughter of Annie Adams.

Louise Allen is Mrs. Willie Collier.

Sydney Armstrong is Mrs. W. G. Smythe.

Minnie Ashley is the wife of Will Sheldon.

Ramie Austin is Miss Dora Davidson.

B.

Frankie Bailey was the wife of Colonel McLewee.

Maud Banks is the daughter of the late General N. P. Banks.

Jessie Bartlett is the wife of Will J. Davis, manager of the Columbia theater, Chicago.

Adele Belgardi's real name is Levy.

Sarah Bernhardt is Mme. Damala.

Helen Bertram is the wife of E. J. Henley.

Laura Biggar is Mrs. Burt Haverly.

Eugenia Blair is the wife of Robert Downing.

Bessie Bonehill is the wife of W. R. Seeley.

Marie Burroughs is the wife of Louis Massen.

Lillian Burkhardt is Mrs. Charles Dickson.

Ellen Burg is the wife of Robert Edeson.

C.

Beatrice Cameron is Mrs. Richard Mansfield.

Georgia Cayvan's real name is Cavanaugh.

Blanche Chapman is Mrs. Henry Ford.

Gertrude Clarke is the wife of Henry Griffin, the jockey.

Kate Claxton is Mrs. Charles Stevenson.

Mme. Cottrelly is a Mrs. Wilson.

Phebe Coyne is the wife of Frank Smithson.

Isabelle Coe is the wife of Frank McKee, manager of Hoyt's New York theater.

Rose Coghlan is the wife of John T. Sullivan.

Elvia Croix is Mrs. Thomas Q. Seabrooke.

Henrietta Crossman was Mrs. Sedley Brown.

D.

Camille d'Arville is the wife of George Wilson, an acrobat.

Fanny Davenport is Mrs. Melbourne McDowell.

Hattie Delaro was Mrs. Barnes.

Josie de Witt is the wife of Billy West.

Minerva Dorr is the wife of Frank Norcross.

Marie Dressler is Mrs. George F. Hopper.

E.

Mme. Eames is Mrs. Julian Story.

Virginia Earle is the wife of Frank Lawton, the whistler.

Louise Elsing is the wife of Cyril Scott.

Effie Ellsler is Mrs. Frank Weston.

Marie Engel was Augustare Amberg.

Alice Evans is Mrs. Wilton Lackaye.

F.

Mabel Fenton is the wife of Charles Ross.

Selena Fetter is the wife of Edwin Royle, the playwright.

Lily Fox is Mrs. Nat Roth.

Helen French, one of the twin sisters French, is the widow of Old Hoss Bill Hoey.

Minnie French is the wife of Charles E. Evans, manager of the Herald Square theater.

G.

Minna Gale is Mrs. A. C. Haynes, and retired.

Lottie Gilson was Mrs. Sam Ryan.

Bettina Gherd has had the legal right to call herself Mrs. Fuddleford and Mrs. John Rafael and is the daughter of General Ordway, U. S. A.

Marian Giroux is Mrs. W. H. Post.

Amelia Glover is the wife of John Russell.

Carrie Godfrey was Mrs. W. H. Thompson, the manager.

H.

Jane Hading is Mme. Victor Koenig.

Pauline Hall's maiden name was Schmidigall. She is the wife of George McClellan, manager of the Casino.

Beatrice Hamilton is the wife of Teddy Peiper.

Nelly Hawthorne is Mrs. Robert Vernon.

Lola Hawthorne is Mrs. R. J. Rodriguez.

Bijou Heron is the wife of Henry F. Miller.

May Howard is the wife of Harry Morris.

J.

Vernona Jarbeau is Mrs. Jeff Bernstein.

Ida Jeffries is Mrs. Goodfriend.

Laura Joyce is Mrs. Digby Bell.

Jennie Joyce is the wife of Phil Daly, Jr.

L.

Clara Lane is the wife of J. K. Murray.

Lily Langtry is the Princess Esterhazy (so they say).

Clara Lipman is the wife of Louis Mann.

Cissy Loftus is Mrs. Justin McCarthy.

M.

Minnie Maddern is Mrs. Harrison Grey Fiske.

Marion Manola is the wife of John Mason.

Pauline Markham is Mrs. Randolph Murray.

Julia Marlowe is Mrs. Robert Taber.

Emma Marsh is Mrs. W. J. Black.

Sadie Martinot is the wife of Max Figman.

Margaret Mather was Mrs. Pabst, the wife of the millionaire Milwaukee brewer.

Nelly McHenry is Mrs. John Webster.

Carrie Merrilles is the wife of Matthew C. Woodward.

Daisy Meyer, who took a lot of nicknames in London, is Mrs. James Slocum.

Lena Merville is getting a divorce from Husband A. L. Levi or Levering.

Maggie Mitchell is Mrs. Charles Abbott.

Caroline Miskel is Mrs. Charles H. Hoyt.

Mme. Modjeska is the Countess Bozenta Chlaporsk.

Laura Moore is Mrs. Snyder of Washington.

Clara Morris is the wife of C. F. Harriot.

Ida Mulle was Mrs. Ben Tuthill.

N.

May Newman is Mrs. Harry Kennedy, manager of the Star theater, Brooklyn.

O.

Annie O'Neil is Mrs. Henry C. Miner.

P.

Minnie Palmer was the wife of "Yours Merrily," John Rogers.

Adelina Patti is the wife of Nicolini and living at her castle in Wales.

Grace Pedley was at one time the wife of E. J. Henley.

Adelaide Prince is the wife of Creston Clarke, the tragedian.

Lilly Post is the wife of Will H. Morton.

R.

Mrs. McKee Rankin was Kitty Blanchard, one of the original sisters in "The Two Orphans."

Lizzie Raymond is Mrs. Sam Bernard.

Frankie Raymond is the wife of the Chicago manager, David Henderson.

Zelma Rawlston is Mrs. Barney Ferguson.

Ada Rehan's real name is Crehan.

Babette Rodney is Mrs. George Bowles.

Lillian Russell is now Mrs. Perrugini.

She has been Mrs. Teddy Solomon and Mrs. Dave Braham.

S.

Saharet, the dancer, is the wife of Ike Rose.

Mrs. John B. Schoeffel was Agnes Booth, whose maiden name was Rookes.

Minnie Seligman is Mrs. Robert Cutting.

Cheridah Simpson is getting a divorce from W. H. Armstrong.

Amelia Somerville is getting a divorce from Fred Runnells.

Marie Stewart is the wife of Joseph Gaites.

Jeannette St. Henry was Mrs. John Hiller.

Marie Stone is the wife of W. H. MacDonald of the Bostonians.

T.

Cora Tanner recently got a divorce from Colonel Sinn of Brooklyn.

Grace Thorne is the wife of Frazer Coulter.

Belle Thorne is Mrs. Herman Perlet.

Odette Tyler is the wife of Dr. Sheppard.

U.

Isabelle Urquhardt is known in private life as Mrs. Guy Standing.

V.

Theresa Vaughn is the widow of William Mestayer.

W.

May Waldron is Mrs. Stuart Robson.

Lizzie Webster is Mrs. Nunnemacher, wife of a Milwaukee brewer.

Millie Willson's real name is Leslie.

Jeannie Winston was Mrs. Arthur Bell.

Y.

Jennie Yeamans was Mrs. Charles B. Dillingham.

Lydia Yeamans is the wife of Fred Titus.

May Yohe was Mrs. Jack Mason, Mrs. Tom Williams and is Lady Francis Hope.

A COMING PLAYWRIGHT.

GEORGE H. BROADHURST.

This is a portrait of George H. Broadhurst, the former theatrical manager whose farces "The Wrong Mr. Wright" and "What Happened to Jones" have made decided hits in New York and elsewhere. Mr. Broadhurst is a rapid writer, having written "The Wrong Mr. Wright" in 32 days. On the whole, it took just 44 days for writing, rehearsing and first presentation.

Theatricals In the Country.

Although the old fashioned country theater, with its cramped auditorium, its ridiculous little stage and its general discomfort, is fast giving way to the pretentious opera house on the metropolitan plan, there are many of the archaic type of country theaters still in existence in towns within a few hours' ride of New York city.

An actor who had just returned to New York from a tour of one night stands in the interior said recently:

"When we struck the historic town of Slumpsville, where the British and the Continental armies had one of their severest arguments more than a hundred years ago, I walked with the manager to the 'opera house.' The first thing that made me quake was the fact that the theater was on the third floor, at the head of a breakneck flight of stairs.

"'One of the good, old fashioned kind, eh?' I remarked. 'We cannot possibly put any scenery in here.'

"'No,' answered the manager, 'but we will have it brought to the front of the theater on the wagons, as an evidence of good faith' (which, by the way, is a common thing for managers to do, under the circumstances, thereby laying the responsibility for its not being used on the local manager).

"The ceiling was not more than 12 feet high, and as the stage was about two feet higher than the floor of the hall, of course there was only ten feet there. The 'border lights' consisted of one hanging coal oil lamp. The footlights were half a dozen coal oil lamps of various shapes, with chimneys at all kinds of agonizing angles, while in the place of honor in the center of the row was a rakish looking dark lantern, the kind that burglars use, with its reflector turned full upon the stage. The effect of that dark lantern throwing its glow on the leading lady's feet as she called down the justice of heaven on the villain that night was weirdly impressive. There were no dressing rooms. The men changed their costumes behind a sheet on one side of the stage, and the ladies took refuge behind a piece of scenery on the other.

"How did the show go? Splendidly. The people of Slumpsville were used to their theater, and even the gaudy lamp hanging from the sky (for the action of the play all took place out of doors in the country) did not disturb them in the least. It was an astronomical vagary that they had come to look upon as eminently the proper thing.

"That is the town in which I nearly starved to death," continued the actor. "I got up too late for breakfast, about half past 8, and the dining room door at the hotel was closed and locked. It could not possibly be opened till dinner time, the landlord told me, and when I said that I must have a cup of coffee or die, he advised me to go down the street to the one restaurant of the place and see what I could do. I went. The restaurant keeper told me that he had not had a call for a cup of coffee for six months, and probably would not have another for a year. So I had to wait till we got to the next town, Saratoga, about 2 o'clock in the afternoon. If the landlord of the hotel there had not fed me, I believe I should have killed him."

A Man of Many Parts.

Frederic Lemaitre, the famous actor, was in the habit of rehearsing new parts in the course of his everyday life. Once, when traveling in a crowded mail coach, he took it into his head to practice the part of a sick man, in which he was shortly to appear. He suddenly turned pale, his arms hung loose by his sides, he writhed and groaned as if in agony. His fellow passengers were seized with a panic, for they thought he had an attack of cholera. The coach was stopped, and they were about to send for the doctor, when Lemaitre, delighted with the result, sat up erect in his place and reassured the company.

On another occasion he nearly came to grief. Entering the Cafe des Varietes with the step and bearing of a snob and a bully, he looked round with an air of contempt at all the guests and finally took a seat at a table where sat a young officer with his wife. Here his demeanor became so defiant and insolent that the other customers called for the landlord and demanded the expulsion of the impudent fellow. The young officer sprang upon him in a rage and demanded an explanation. Lemaitre suddenly changed his countenance. The brazen faced bully was transformed into a driveling idiot, with a clownish grin, who appeared all unconscious of what he had done. The officer shrugged his shoulders, and then Lemaitre, himself again, took a seat, ordered coffee and read the newspapers as if nothing had happened.

THE ACTOR'S WOES

Stage Life Is Not One of Unbroken Pleasure.

Actors who spend most of their time on the road usually welcome the end of the season which takes them back to the city. It is equally true, however, that with the coming on of the full they become restless, and the nomadic instinct shows itself. The average actor will state in all seriousness that if the opportunity were his he would settle down contentedly in a little vine covered cottage and enjoy life peaceably at the domestic hearth. His intentions may be good enough and his statement made in good faith, but only the minority are contented with a return to private life, and even those who go to New York for their summer's vacation show signs of restlessness as the theatrical season approaches.

It is not uncommon for persons in conversation with actors to express envy at the latter's opportunities for "seeing the world," and people whose chances to travel have been limited look upon this feature of theatrical life as one of its principal charms.

It is true that the actor, if he be a lover of nature or a seeker after curious byways and odd corners, can find entertainment for years, but the average individual sees little, and by the time he has made five or six tours of the principal cities and an equal number of trips to California traveling has ceased to be a novelty. Its discomforts more than equalize its pleasures. The only wonder is that the player does not welcome an opportunity to settle down, which he usually does if a professional opportunity offers itself in New York.

The reason is partially explained by the fact that the actor becomes centered in himself and his profession. It is difficult for him to make new and permanent ties in the average city or town, but he knows that the Rialto will always present familiar faces and opportunities for conversation.

In small towns an actor is looked upon as something of a "freak," and the village merchants and their clerks congregate to see the "show folk" or "the troop" as they come from the depot. Even in New York it is no uncommon thing for the small boys to gather at the stage door to see "the leater blokie" as he passes in or out, and the chappie and the Johnnie exist in every place that boasts a building with the rain faded sign of "Opera House." This latter class really give little trouble and do not cut the figure in the lives of actresses which comic papers and new journalism would have us believe. As a rule they are no more offensive than other individuals with staring proclivities.

A more serious danger to the actor's peace of mind is the selection of a hotel in each new town. The stars and leading people usually go to the most popular one in the city. But it is a more serious matter with the greatest run of actors, who are obliged to figure their expenses, provide for a family or lay aside the sum necessary to tide them through the summer of a period of idleness. In almost every large city there are several hotels which cater specially to actors. Here board and lodging is provided at prices varying from $1 to $12 per week. The better hotels always make a reduction for players, and a $3 rate is usually reduced to $2.50 or $2. In these cases, however, the actors are given inferior rooms, though such hotels as the New Planters in St. Louis and the Denison in Indianapolis are exceptions. The excuse offered by the average hotel proprietor for the discrimination is that the actors prefer to be away from the other guests, as they keep later hours and feel less constraint if they are placed in isolated quarters. The actor is frequently tempted to inquire if isolation can justly be defined to include lack of fuel and poor gas.

There are also in every city one or more "theatrical boarding houses," where players "much do congregate" and where rooms and lodging are supplied from $5 a week upward. These places are chiefly remarkable for the similarity of their furnishings and general appearance. There is always a parlor with red plush furniture and a consumptive piano which rattles in the chest notes. There is likewise always a retired soubrette, who has taken up stenography to pass away her time until she has a call to create an important part. The soubrette always insists on singing at unearthly hours, but her chest notes do not rattle for the reason that her register is pitched in too high a key. They are the kind of notes which penetrate an oaken door as successfully as the Roentgen ray. The mantelpiece in the theatrical boarding house parlor is decorated with photographs of the leading actors, who have patronized it, and the center table holds an album wherein are displayed photographs of actors who have appropriately inscribed them to the divinity of the boarding house. In justice to some of the proprietors of these establishments it may be said, however, that what they lack in good taste they make up for in goodness of heart, and many an unpaid board bill bears witness to the generosity of the theatrical landlady who has allowed a luckless player to depart in peace. But there exists also obstinate landladies, whose hardness of heart is attested by attics full of trunks, wherein the wealth of foreign potentates, the king's crown and the queen's jewels, fair Ophelia's flaxen locks and Cæsar's robe of state repose in oblivion for the security of an unpaid score.

The actor's hardships on the road are by no means confined to his hotels. The theater dressing rooms are a source of constant annoyance and discomfort. While serious agitation of the question has brought about reforms in some cities it yet remains that in many places the dressing rooms are underground, ventilation is unthought of, and bare floors and damp walls prevail. In winter the rooms are cold and cheerless, and in summer the temperature is stifling.

Shakespeare in Germany.

Germany sees on the average more of Shakespeare than we do in the United States, and if not on the average so well acted as they are in this country, the productions are much more careful. Now Possart is to give a Shakespeare festival next summer at Munich, when 60 performances of Shakespearean plays will be given. Beerbohm Tree is going to Berlin this winter to act Hamlet and Falstaff. He will play in English.

THEATRICAL COMMENT.

John L. Manning, an actor who made a specialty of impersonating a hayseed in the audience, died recently at Dorchester, Mass. He traveled last season with Bancroft, the magician, and it was his business to sit in the audience dressed as a farmer and help on the show by a display of wonder and amazement. He was to have gone out in the same way with Henry E. Dixey.

Marie Dressler, the actress who is playing Miss May Irwin's part in "Courted Into Court," is a very sick woman, and it is doubtful if she will be able to play much longer. She has already tendered her resignation to Messrs. Rich and Harris, who have demurred about accepting it, but Miss Dressler insists that she must rest and that they must find some one to take her place.

Antoine is still at the task of trying to make his Theatre Libre scheme permanent. He has just commenced another season and revived two of the organization's successful efforts of past seasons. He will continue to give the plays of foreign writers, and no more than Lugne-Poe will he consent to limit the repertory to the works of French authors.

New York will have to struggle along with an independent theater. Charles B. Cochran has abandoned his scheme of establishing an enterprise of that sort. The capitalist, a Boston man, who had promised to back the enterprise financially, withdrew, and Mr. Cochran was unable to secure the necessary funds elsewhere.

"The Devil's Disciple," Bernard Shaw's play, has apparently pleased New York.

KETCHAM'S CASE

The Banker's Marriage Still Talked of.

IN CHICAGO AND CURIOSITY AS TO GROOM.

Walkup Played a Game of Ketcham.

Chicago, Nov. 19.—Statements made by Tom Riley, the Milwaukee hackman who drove Mrs. Walkup to Rev. J. P. Roberts' house to be married on the morning of Sept. 24 last, tend to strengthen the claim of Ketcham's relatives that he was not the groom on that occasion. According to Riley's story, which is corroborated by two women, the woman with the dark hair married a man much shorter than she is. Riley describes the groom as a little fellow, a foot shorter than the woman. Miss Mierseh, who witnessed the ceremony, declared that the man was much shorter than the woman. Ketcham was five feet 10 inches, while Mabel Wallace Walkup is not more than five feet six. Thus there is a difference of nearly a foot in size.

It is almost certain, however, that Kellar, the butler, was not substituted for Ketcham. All agree that the principal in the secret nuptials was really a very sick man. His face was thin, drawn and haggard. Kellar looks well and healthy. Further, from all available information the butler remained behind at the Plankinton House during the ceremony. It was not until all was over and the couple had been driven to the depot that he left the hotel. He settled the bill for "A. B. Young, wife and servant, Boston," as the trio appeared upon the register.

Whoever was the groom, he was apparently completely and wholly in the power of the woman. The evidence of Riley as to Ketcham's actions, if it were he, furnish all the elements for a story of hypnotism. The man seemed dazed and oblivious to everything. Friends of the dead clubman have little hope of being able to prove that Kellar or any other man took the place of Ketcham in the marriage ceremony. According to Attorney Purcell the main contention will be that Mr. Ketcham was of unsound mind.

NO CAUSE FOR ALARM.

New Bedford, Mass., Nov. 19.—Captain David F. Devoll, master of steam whaler William Baylies, who has arrived in the city, does not think there is any cause for alarm as to the safety of the whalemen ice-bound in the Arctic. He says the Belvedere, Orca, Jesse H. Freeman and Rosario are not in an exposed position. In company with the Alexander they have started west and gone into the gut, just east of Point Barrow. If the masters of the ships see that the ice is not liable to break up they can easily make the lagoon, which opens out from the gut, and there they will be as safe as though they were at Herschel island.

In regard to a shortage of provisions on the imperilled ships, he says that there is no cause for alarm, for the provisions on board the Freeman, Orca and Belvedere will be sufficient with care and judgment to provide for the men until next summer. The greatest trouble, Captain Devoll thinks, will come from the sailors who are liable to be crazed over the Klondyke gold discoveries, and any attempt of desertion without means of reaching the Yukon will result in loss of life to the men who attempt it.

MUNICIPAL ELECTION SLATES.

Fall River, Mass., Nov. 19.—Last night the Republican mayoralty convention chose Dr. A. M. Jackson, now president of the council and a prominent G. A. R. man, as the nominee, by acclamation. There were speeches by Dr. Jackson, Mayor Greene and ex-Congressman R. T. Davis. Leontine Lincoln, Mary E. Hyde and Hannah F. Osborn were nominated for the school committee.

Waltham, Mass., Nov. 19.—In the Republican caucuses in this city last night Charles P. Bond won in every ward for the nomination for mayor.

Springfield, Mass., Nov. 19.—The Republican caucuses resulted in a victory for Mayor Henry S. Dickinson over ex-Representative Harvey. Dickinson carried every ward except the seventh.

Lawrence, Mass., Nov. 19.—The Democratic mayoralty and aldermanic convention was held last night. The following ticket was nominated: For mayor, James E. Donoghue; aldermen, William F. King, ward 1; C. F. Lynch, ward 2; Lewis Matters, ward 3; N. E. Milville, ward 4; Joseph Sheehan, ward 5, and Patrick O'Brien, ward 6.

WOMAN'S TRIAL FOR MURDER.

Cayuga, Ont., Nov. 19.—The trial of Olive Sternaman, charged with murdering her husband by administering arsenic, is going on rapidly, the court sitting until late at night. J. E. Dewe of Buffalo, an insurance agent, testified that shortly after Sternaman's death he met Mrs. Sternaman, who had asked him to say nothing about an insurance policy of $1000 on her husband's life, giving her reason for the request that her husband's people would take the money from her.

A letter written by Sternaman just before his death and addressed to "whom it may concern" was read. In this letter Sternaman said that he had been subject to "peculiar attacks," and that in case of death he did not want anyone to hold his wife responsible for his decease. The prosecution claim that Mrs. Sternaman caused the writing of this letter to shield herself after her husband's death, and at the time of its writing no one had mentioned the possibility of Sternaman's death having been brought about by foul means.

SAFETY DEVICES ON CARS.

Washington, Nov. 19.—The inter-state commerce commission desires to correct a recently published statement that only the New York Central and Chicago Burlington and Quincy railroads are fully equipped with safety appliances. Out of 426 roads that have reported to the commission in the matter of safety appliances, 75 roads, or 17.20 per cent, will be equipped with automatic couplers Jan. 1, 1898. Out of 435 roads, 60, or 14 per cent, will be equipped with train brakes by the same period, and out of 517 roads 96 per cent, or almost all, will be provided with power driving wheel brakes on locomotives.

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Taunton, Mass., Nov. 19.—Never in the history of the grand jury system in Bristol county has the work of a jury been more sensational than the findings of the body which has just concluded its deliberations for the November term of the superior court. New Bedford and Fall River furnished the causes, the former with its mill wrecking episode and the border city with its revelations of apparent contempt for law and righteousness as illustrated by the misuse of official position.

Two members of the common council of Fall River have been indicted for alleged connection with acts of bribery. Wednesday one of the largest of the liquor dealers in the same city was arraigned on two charges of attempted bribery. The sensation which his arrest had occasioned had barely developed when it was intensified by the appearance in the courtroom of County Commissioner Durfee and Walter J. D. Bullock, the latter an ex-member of the legislature and well known at the state house. Durfee pleaded not guilty to an indictment charging him with unlawfully participating in contracts with the commissioners of Bristol county while he was a member of the commission. He was held in $500 bail. Bullock was charged with offering a bribe to Councilman McCarthy to induce him to vote for Hale Remington against James Langford as assistant chief of the fire department. Bail of $1000 was ordered. It is felt that these are only the beginning of a series of exposures of alleged wrongdoing in the city of sensations in this county.

PIGS AS LIFESAVERS.

San Francisco, Nov. 19.—The following advices from Australia were brought by the steamer Mariposa which arrived from Sydney, via Honolulu: At the Adelaide city police court, Oct. 18, W. Martin, the American cyclist, was sentenced to 14 days' imprisonment with hard labor for having assaulted F. P. Ridley a few days earlier. The bench refused to impose a fine.

At midnight Oct. 16 the Illawarra company's steamer Kamuruaka, one of the best known vessels on the coast, while on the voyage from Eden to Sydney, struck upon a rock about 150 yards from shore at a point known as Pedro reef. The passengers were all in their berths at the time, but fortunately the sea was calm and all were rescued by means of a travelling cage. In the absence of rockets lines were taken ashore by several pigs, which swam ashore when thrown overboard with signal halyards attached to their hind legs. The vessel was a total loss.

ELECTION AT COSTA RICA.

Washington, Nov. 19.—According to official information received at the legation of Costa Rica at Washington, the primary presidential election for the next period, 1898-1902, was held on the 14th, 15th and 16th amid order and tranquility. There were two parties, the Civilist and the Republican. The vote was the largest ever taken in Costa Rica, and the Civilists, with President Yglesias as a candidate for re-election, obtained a majority of over 23,000 votes.

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FAREWELL TO HER WHEEL.

New York, Nov. 19.—At the city hall yesterday Alderman Wund united in marriage John Cunningham of this city and Miss Anna Lundawall. Behind the wedding lurks a romance. The bride left New Canaan, Conn., on her bicycle Wednesday and rode every inch of the way to New York. She went to friends in this city, where she spent the night. Near morning she donned her bicycle costume and rode down to the city hall.

John Cunningham is the family coachman of John R. Downey, the millionaire builder of the Astor estates. Downey has a country place at New Canaan. When the family left town last May, Cunningham was taken along. Mrs. Downey needed a maid, and Anna Lundawall secured the place. There were difficulties in the way of a marriage. Jack hates bicycles, while Anna loves them. Anna agreed to give up her wheel on the day of her wedding, but she decided to bid farewell to her wheel by riding from New Canaan to this place. After the wedding the wheel was abandoned.

WIRE THIEVES SCARED.

Providence, Nov. 19.—An attempt to steal a lot of copper wire from the factory of the American electrical works at Phillipsdale was frustrated by the watchman, Ellery Emerson. He believes that three men were concerned in the attempt, although he saw but two. He fired several shots after them, and one of the bullets, he thinks, struck a burglar. The men had several bags ready to fill with copper wire when they were discovered.

HAD MONEY LAVISHED ON HER.

New York, Nov. 19.—Mary Kellard, who gained notoriety in connection with the famous case of Barbara Aub, is on trial on a charge of forgery preferred by Mrs. Mary D. Spencer, who accuses her of obtaining $750 from her on two forged notes purporting to be signed by Virginie Wood, the wife of W. A. Wood. Wood, who was at one time a millionaire, lavished money on Miss Kellard. Wood is now an inmate of the Middletown asylum. He may be introduced as a witness.

WATCHING ARMOUR'S RESIDENCE.

Chicago, Nov. 19.—Two policemen have been detailed to guard the residence of P. D. Armour. The reason for the precaution is a rumor from Minneapolis that a speculator who lost money in wheat has gone insane and left Minneapolis with the avowed purpose of killing Armour.

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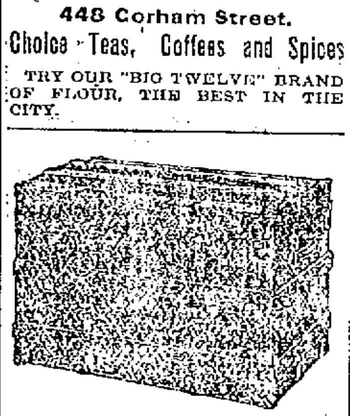

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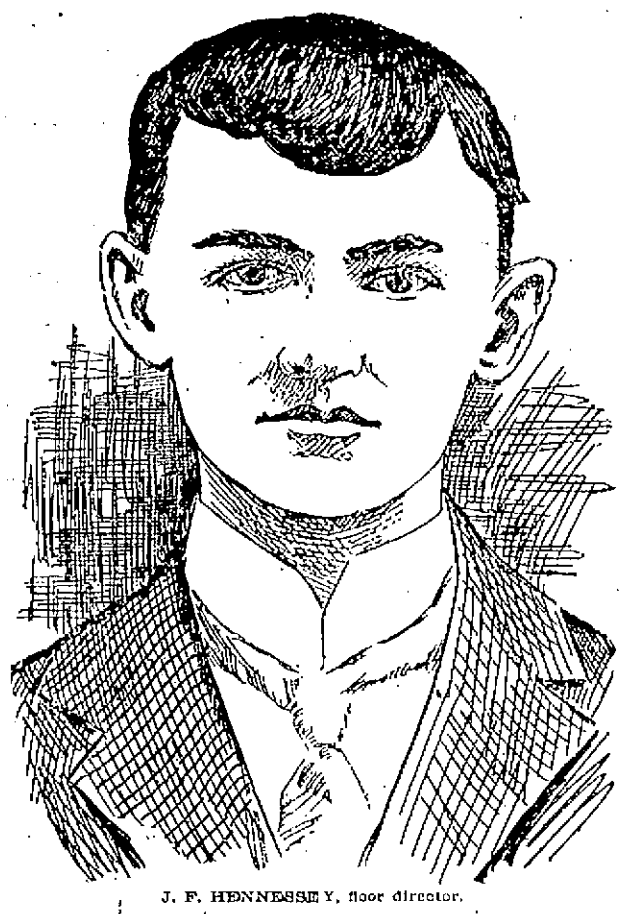

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Several tables, prettily decked, were arranged around the hall and were well patronized during the evening.

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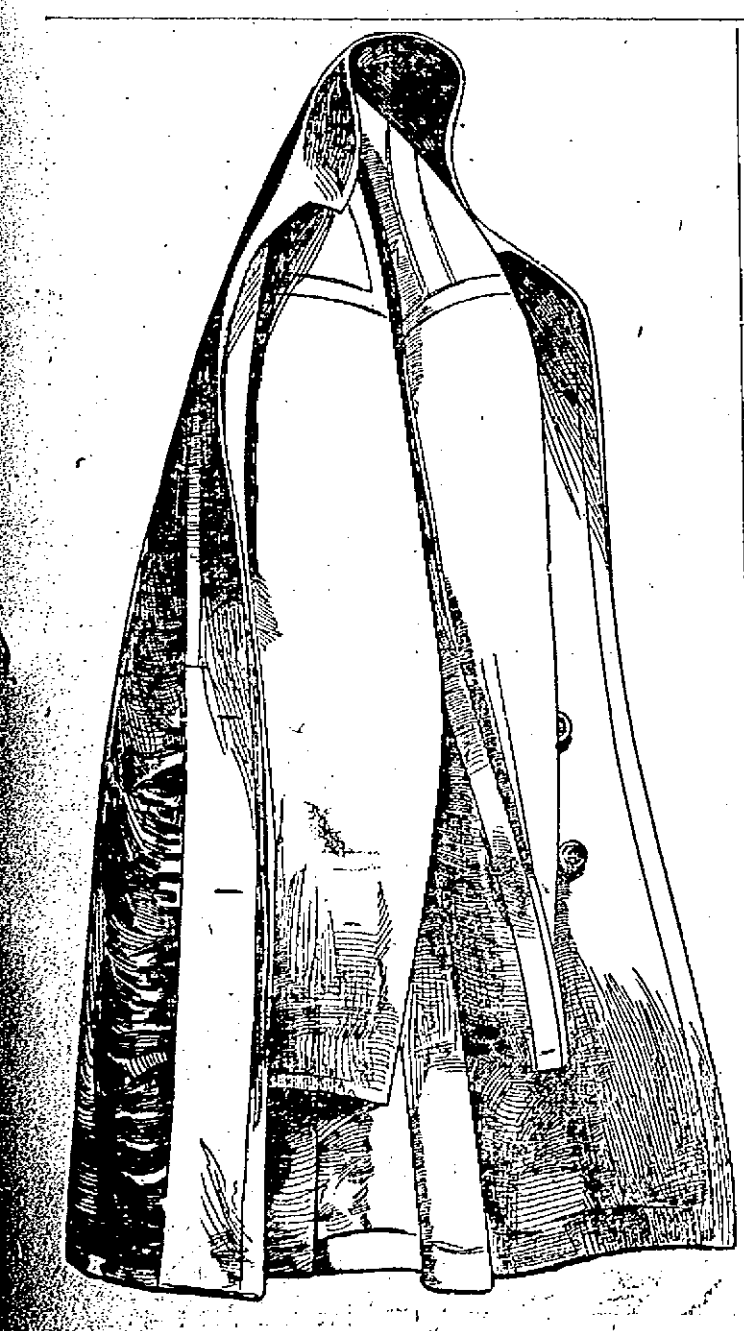

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All sizes in stock today, but we cannot duplicate them.

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Sizes 3 to 8 years in chinchilla, astrachan and frieze at

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35 Brown Astrachan Reefers, sailor collar, wide fancy braid, pearl buttons, a regular $6 reefer; our price while they last only

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Boys' Single Breasted Box Overcoats, sizes 8 to 16 years, in kersey, melton, covert and fancy cloths at $5, $6 $8 and $10, the only dressy Topcoat in these sizes shown this season.

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